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#### TEA TABLE TALK.

Fatsy's gone wid Batt'ry K-Hoursy for Dunnigal! O he's the bye that' I foight all day An' all night long, an' call it play: An' niver a kick will be hev ter say, An' niver a squale at ul!!

O Fat's the bye that niver runs-Blood of ole Dunnygal! Go fill the woods wid gathlin' guns Au' disnermitos an' littler ones, But Patsy (one of Ireland's sons) Will laugh at the loikes o' thim all!

If there's a scrap, Patsy'll be there 'F he has ter squaze an' crawi! Fer he's the bye (whin all the air Wuz full o' shiilayiles at the fair) Wid only his arm an' the round of a chair, Made all the spalpeous bawl!

Pat-y'd ruther foight than ate-Shore, thet's ole Dunnygal! If there's a foe yez hev ter mate-Er a biatherin' blagg'ard ter be bate-Ye 'il foind 'im there wid both 'is fate. An' thim be fur frum small! Yie, Patsy's gone wid Batt'ry K-

An' he took tears frum us ali; But if we hears the noos som day How a bullet plunked 'im down ter stay-We'll give 'im a wake thet'll make tolks say "Pride on ele Dunnygal!"

What a lot of fun some of those lynching clubs down in the south could let a good thing like him get away.

get a good etrong clutch on that dog collar of Aguinalde's and play dumb bells with him till he shows his license for being on earth.

Senstors Hoar and Hale have gone on record against their country—the country which gave them birth, educated them and finally put them in its highest legislative body. By opposing the peace treaty they have brought discredit upon New Eugland. But for their stabborn and senseless resistance to the ratification. American blood would not have been shed at Manila on Sunday. Most of us would prefer another kind of fame than that which this pair of politicians have achieved.

What poor, poor fools those Filipines are! They used to stampede the Spaniards by holding a cocoa-cola dance around a bonfire and then pointing a ketchup bottle toward Manila, so they crowded up against General Otis's Maxim gans with spears, bows and arrows and kettle drums and arrayed in bark shields and leather slippers. The fragments of their ranks haven't yet been

The Rev. Dr. Plumb of Boston discussed the Philippine question in his address at the Pearl street church on for the present. Said he, "When Dew-Providence shoving this nation for-

Father Hoar has bursted several pairs endeavors to shove us back. I believe that even the most depraved thinkers Miss Morse. among us would rather fasten their faith to Providence than to a forlorn hope like Hoar.

"Now please look pleasant, Mr. Cleveland," said the photographer, preparing to press the button, and he held Mayor. up a cute little jack-in-the-box before Grover's gaze. But though Grover torso, he couldn't lift that depression from his face. Two fat tears went tumbling down his expansive cheeks and a sob rent his lips asunder.

'They've had the audacity to ratify the needay. treaty—our flags refuse to be hauled wise disgraced herself! O Columbia, quired by law. how art thou fallen! Would that I were not an American!"

And the photographer sadly murmured. as he worked the jumping jack, 'Would that you were not!" Then he said, in a louder voice, "Things will proved and ordered paid. come your way soon, Mr. Cleveland Cure-all's Humbug Compound will give GIVEN HEARING IN FEW DAYS tive hundred dollars for this picture. with a ten-line testimonial from you." And Grover wiped away his tears,

around the cake, seven or eight pies and | not over five or six,

a side of ham -- not necessarily to eat. out just to show your friendship and appreciation. You needn't mind inviting us, as it may be too cool for our wardrobe. We want the news-that's

#### AT MUSIC HALL THIS EVENING.

Al G. Field has announced that be will endeavor to make the vocal part of his program the present season a prominent feature. Judging from the artists engaged he will keep his promise. Among the vocalists who have attained distinction may be mentioned Reese Prosser, the Welsh tenor, who for three seasons was the leading tenor with the Boston Concert company, and afterward with the Boston Ideals; Harry Sheldon, who has been with Mr. Field the past two sea one and who has established himself as a descriptive tenor singer. his rendition of Paul Dresser's song. Was Right," being one of the hits of His ship has been put out of commis-1 st season; Charles A. Van, who is sing- sion in Pensacola. ing in the choir of Trinity church, New York city, will make his initial bow on have bad with Agoncillo! Too bad to the minstrel stage with the company at on a sixteen-day cruise to Havana, their opening; George A. Hassell, who has been off the stage the past four Now, Messrs. Otis and Dewey, just years, and is singing in Grace M. E church at New Haven, Conv., will return to the stage, opening with the Al. G. Field Minstrels; Carl C Dickons, the baritone, who has been with Klaw and Erlanger and Sousa's "Bride-Elect." is a new recruit to the minstrel stage. Geo. A. Reeves, Charles A. Skelcher, Frank Told and Paul Islande are other names that will appear on the program of the Al. G. Field minstrels, with a strong chorus to back up the soloists. Field ought to have a singing party that will revive recollections of good old days. when fine singing was the foremost factor of refined minstrelsy.

#### MRS MORSE RECEIVES

Mrs. Eliza Morse and daughter entertained a party of petty officers of the United States steamer Alliance at their home on Daniel street Hunday. Dinner was served at 7:30 and proved to be a dainty little banquet. The table looked extremely handsome with its delicate china cut glass and silverware. Among those present were Captains Yeoman & Mail Orderly A. S. Freedman, Chief Gunner's Mate Philip Fechter, Chief Yeoman F. Meyers, Chief Carpenter's Mate J Larsen, Quartermaster J Gester, Hospital Apprentice J Hawkins and the ship's barber, G Segure. The evening was spent in a pleasant way with vocal and instrumental music, and recitations we should hold those islands, at lesst and it was with regret the final farewell words and good wishes for a pleasant ey won the battle of Manila Bay, it was and successful voyage and a speedy return of the ship to this port were uttered. All the crew of the Alliance are sorry to leave this port, where they received the most cordial treatment ever of new suspenders lately in desperate shown to them, and specially will remember the hospitality of Mrs. and

### BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The regular meeting of the board of instruction was held last evening, Mr. Gooding presiding in the absence of the

Chairman Hodgdon of District No. 1, reported that Ernest Trefethen had tried with all the strength of his Roman been selected as janitor of the Franklin school at Christian shore and the selection was endorsed.

The same committee reported that it had placed John H. Rose on trial, as ianitor of the Farragut school, and "I can't! I / can't!" he mosned. would be ready to report on next Wed-

The annual report of the superintendown in Cuba and Porto Rico-our dent of schools was presented and was the Filipines, and my country has other | Board of Aldermen as the report re-

> The pay and duties of the janitors at the Franklin, Spaulding and Cabot street schools were referred to the superintendent of schools for investiga-

The usual number of bills were ap-

County Attorney Matthews, who was in attendance at probate court on Tuesday in Saco, states that Frank Parks "We want the news," says the Gibson who is now confined in Affeed jail, (Ga.) Banner. "If your wife whips you, charged wi h the murder of Mrs. Tarlright before the world. It you have undoubtedly be arraigned the last of company, tell un-if you are not this week. He seld the hearing would ashamed of your visitor. If you have a probably be a short one, the list of party or gathering of may kind, bring witnesses at present nummoned being

This will be a bid night for the mins trel performance.

The W. C. T. U. will not hold their regular meeting this week on account of the Union meetings at the churches.

Up until two o'clock today the cars on the P. K. & Y., were run on time and the snow plow was kept in continue

Veteran Firemen's association tomorrow night action will be taken on the selling of the tub Piscataqua and purchasing a new machine.

The storm today was so severe that Supt Simpson caused the "No School" signal to be sounded at 11.30 and the school children are enjoying a half holiday this afternoon in doors.

Fireman Edward White of the U. S. S. Hist, arrived home last evening. Eddie has seen ten months service in "He Fought for the Cause he Thought Cube, and has honestly discharged.

A Plant Live stramer will sail from Port Tampa, Fla., Tuesday, Feb. 21st, Ponce and San Juan, Porto Rico, Port Antonio, Jamsica and Santingo. Rate, \$150.00. Full particulars of J. A. Flanders, N. E. A., 290 Washington street,

#### UNION SERVICES.

About one hundred gathered at the Court street church on Tuesday afternoon at the Union services.

from Luke 15:9. The parable of the woman and lost piece of silver. Miss Ives rendered two selections

very effectively.

evening. The meeting opened with a praise ser-

vice, led by Rev. Mr. Hainer. Prayer was offered by F. W. Teegue

and Rev. R. L. Duston. The Beantiful City of God" wa finely rendered as a solo by Miss Ives. The Rev. R. W. Wallace, D. D., of

'The Communion of the Holy Ghost." The closest attention was given to the plain, positive and powerful presenta-

Thou Me."

The services today, Wednesday, will

will preach at 7:30 p. M.

If a poultryman does not get the most good, the most profit, out of his market fowls, it is because he lacks knowledge of feeding for best results. Right feeding is a science. Poultrymen should study how to feed for best

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#### CITY BRIEFS

At the meeting of the Portsmouth

Rev. John A. Hainer gave an address

A congregation that completely filled the house gathered at the church in the

Somerville, Mass., was the apeaker of

the evening. The text chosen was:

tion of the truth. Miss Ives sang "Holy Spirit Fill

be held in the Methodist church. Rev. Walter Colley, D. D., of Boston,

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again and soon felt better." N MARY E. LYONS, Randolph, Mass. No Appetite

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A large party is being formed here to ttend the poverty carnival in Peirce hall, Portsmouth on Friday evening, given by the Unknown Four.

The mammoth show plow of the P. K. & Y. railway and a large anmber of whom the narrator is acquainted, paid shovelers, are busy today keeping the a visit to New Orleans. She told him tracks of the road clear of snow. The the story. She was walking down snow that is fulling is very fine and blows tending to visit the celebrated French in all the low places on the line, and it market of the Crescent City, and on will keep Supt. Meloon's large force of her way she met a very old colored men busy all day keeping the tracks man coming from the opposite direcclear so that the cars will not be dc- tion, evidently from the market, as he layed.

J. L. Small of Boston, the coffee man, was in town yesterday on business.

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. D. F. Faulkner will be pleased to learn that they are both recovering from their severe illness, and will soon be able to him, whereupon he held the 'possum be about the house.

Miss Emily L. Shaw is confined to her home on Central street with a severe face of the old negro, and said: attack of the grip. John Burnham of Scarboro, Me., is in

town, called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. Susan Love: Next Tuesday Capt. Horatie W. Tre-, Did you never eat 'possum, missey?

the annual encampment of the G. A. R. in that city. William Tobey is reported to be fail ing fast, and is not expected to live. Now that the Alliance is about ready

to go to sea, there is a large number of visitors on board every day. The Boy's in klue" have made many warm friends during their stay at this station, who will wish them the best of success

on their voyage. The tide this morning was the highest fur you'ins, but tain't for me; dat is elip at Badger's island to the depth of six

The milkmen get around all right this morning, but if the snow continues to much-fur you den't want to lose any fall it is doubtful if those who live out of his nice awest fat. Den you takes in the rural districts will be able to get around by tomorrow morning. Harry a big frying pan; den you acrapes de

any of our milkmen to come. Bernard Hanscom, passed away last night at the age of 33 years, 1 month and I day. Mr. Hanscom was stricken away for a little while, but not tee with the grippe and gradually grew long Den when you comes back you worse, until the end came last night. He was employed at the navy yard, where he was held in the highest esteem by all of his associates. Funeral services will be held Friday and interment | an' de sweet potatoes is soft and juice will be in Eliot.

## SOUTH ELIOT.

of last week.

great extent.

So. ELIOT, ME., Feb. 7th.

Mrs. George B. Wallace of Portsmouth was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nelson on Wednesday

Miss Alta Huntress, who has been con. the world. fined to her home with an attack of the grip, was able to resume her work at the Portsmouth shoe factory on Monday. Mrs. Charles Travis of Portsmouth,

the guest of her sister, Mrs. Everett Paul, on Wednesday last. Dr. H. I. Durgin and wife were in Portsmouth on Tuesday evening of last week and attended the anniversary of

the Knights of Pythias. Alfred Spinney, who is employed by the Boston and Maine railroad, was called to Salem, Mass., today on important business.

Nathan Spinney is busily engaged in filling his ice house. He is getting the ice from Langton's pond in Kittery. Mrs. Hamilton Spinney is very low. with but faint hopes of her recovery.

Sickness in town is not abating to any BOILING ROCK.

#### YORK York, Mc., Feb. 7.

Sunday evening at the residence of the bride's parents occurred the marriage of now exporting 3,300,000,000 becomes an-Miss Mabel Langilland Mr. Will Bridges, nually, mostly to Chine and India. both of this town. A number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. W. S. Bovard. The contracting parties were drink, is allowed to take his man who is intexticuted, or we breath is even tainted with the well known and were the recipionts of train on the Grand Trank splitting. many useful and costly gifts.

A meeting of all those interested in the models forming of a Give citib will be hold in the Congregational vestry Thursday even-

Mr. Dummer Bragdon is critically iii.

Mr. Mosely and family of Concord, N. ff., who have been spending a week at their cottage at York beach, returned to

#### HOW TO COOK A 'POSSUM

feld by One of the Most Skilful Or Chefs in the World.

A negro's juicy appreciation of 'passum meat was well illustrated upon a recent occasion when a lady, with was carrying in one hand a 'y and in the other a small, split we basket of sweet potatoes. The ob man's face was beaming with good nature and wreathed in amiles of anticipatory pleasure. He looked se joyously into the face of the lady that she, too, could not help but smile at up aloft and said, "Good eatin', missey,

good catin'." She stopped for a mo-ment, looked at the child-like, happy you like 'possum, do you?" "Like 'possum, missey! I loves 'possum. Dare ain't no eatin' like 'possum. De 'possum am good, but de gravey with sweet potatoes is better. fethen will leave for Bangor to attend Den you didn't know what good satin't was. But mebbe you all wouldn't know how to cook Mr. Possum, fur

dars ebbyting in de know how." "Well, then, tell me how you cost

it," she said. The old man sat the 'possum and potatoes down on the pavement, or, as they call it in New Orleans, the "banquet," and with a look of earnest concentration began with: "Now, don't you never forget jest what I've gwine to tell you about how to cook de 'possum. Well, de fust t'ing you does is to get you 'possum. Dat may be easy got you's 'possum you skins him rest. Den you puts him into de pot with cold water and put de pot over a hel fire an' den you parbiles him not tes him out of de pot an' you dries him in a clean towel. Den you puts him into Cook has about the longest distance of skin off you sweet potatoes an you puts dem into 'e same pan with Mister 'Possum. Den you has you stove red. and den you puts de pan an' ponsum and potatoes into de oven and dea es puts in a little hot water, an' den you begins and bastes de 'possess an' de sweet potatoes an' you be basting and a-basting till de po is a good brown-jest like my coloran' de gravy is almost biack an' plenty of it. Den you takes it out on de even an' den you sots de table, and denwell, den you bars de doors, fo' the smell of cooked 'possum goes a long

> sum you doesn't want much company besides yourself." Now, there is your recipe for cook ing 'possum, and given by prebably one of the best chefs for that dish in

ways, an' when you have only one 'pon-

Shooting Nome-Made Chutes.

Children of New Orleans are having great times shooting improvised chates made of boards, down which they silds in wooden boxes, first greening the accompanied by a gentleman friend, was chute well with lard or tallow candles. These chutes are put up in the back

> At a recent meeting of the Revel Society in London there was inhibi-ed a new apparatual for recisioning the number of stroller made with the eggs in a row boat.

The record of the largest much notes struck by a material in 11 is said to have been made by a known player, who struck 1.0 notes.

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CHAPTER V. NOW FOUR OF US CAME TO BE INDER THE SHADOW OF CLOOMBER.

I trust that my readers will not set me down as an inquisitive busybody when I say that as the days and weeks went by I found my attention and my thoughts more and more attracted to General Heatherstone and the mystary which surrounded him. It was in wain that I endeavored by hard work and strict attention to the laird's affairs to direct my mind into some more healthy channel. Do what I would, on land or on the water, I would still find myself puzzling over this one question until it obtained such a hold upon me that I felt that it was useless for me to attempt to apply myself to anything until I had come to some satisfactory solution of it. I could never pass the dark line of five-foot fencing and the great iron gate, with its massive lock, without pausing and racking my brain as to what the secret might be which was shut in by that inscrutable barrier. Yet with all my conjectures and all my observations I could never come to any conclusion which could for a moment be accepted as an explanation of the facts.

My sister had been out for a stroll one night, visiting a sick peasant or performing some other of the numerous acts of charity by which she had made herself beloved by the whole countryside. "John," she said when she returned, "have you not observed Cloomber Hall at night?"

"No," I answered, laying down the book which I was reading. "Not since that memorable evening when the general and Mr. McNeil came over to make their inspection."

"Well, John, will you put your hat on and come a little walk with me?" 1 could see by her manner that something had agitated or frightened her.

"Why, bless the girl!" cried I, boisterously, "what is the matter? The old Hall has not gone on fire, surely? You look as grave as if all Wigtown were in a blaze."

"Not quite so bad as that," she said, "But do come out, Jack. should very much like you to see it." I had always refrained from saying anything which might alarm my sister. so that she knew nothing of the interest which our neighbor's doings had for me. At her request I took my hat and followed her out into the darkness. She led the way along a little footnath, over the moor, which brought is to some rising ground, from which we could look down upon the Hall

without our view being obstructed by

any of the firtrees which had been

planted round it. "Look at that," said my sister, pausing at the summit of this little eminence.

Cloomber lay beneath us in a blaze of light. In the lower floors the shutters obscured the illumination, but above, from the broad windows of the second story to the thin slits at the summit of the tower, there was not a chink or aperture which did not send forth a stream of radiance. So dazzling was the effect that for a moment I was persuaded that the house was on fire. but the steadiness and clearness of the light soon freed me from that apprehension. It was clearly the result of many lamps placed systematically all over the building. It added to the strange effect that all these brilliantly illuminated rooms were apparently untenanted, and some of them, as far as we could judge, were not even furnish. ed. Through the whole great house there was no sign of movement or of life-nothing but the clear, unwinking



short, quick sob at my side.

"Taking her hand and drawing her to

looking down at my companion.

es upeet you ro?"

"I am airaid of them, John; I apafraid of the Heatherstones. Why is their house lit up like this every night! I have heard from others that it is always so. And why does the old mar run like a frightened hare if any one comes upon him. There is something wrong about it, John, and it frightens

I pacified her as well as I could, and led her home with me, where I took! care that she should have some hot port negus before going to bed. 1 avoided the subject of the Heatherstones for fear of exciting her, and sha

did not recur to it of her own accord. I was convinced, however, from what I i the long sweep of moorland, and at the had heard from her that she had for some time back been making her own observations upon our neighbors, and that in doing so she had put a considerable strain upon her nerves. I could see that the mere fact of the Hall being illuminated at night was not the busy water-way which leads to Belenough to account for her extreme agi- fast. tation, and that it must have derived its importance in her eyes from being had left a weird or unpleasant impresconclusion which I came to at the time, and I have reason to know now that I was right, and that my sister had even more cause than I had myself for believing that there was something un-

canny about the tenants of Cloomber. Our interest in the matter may have arisen at first from nothing, higher than curiosity; but events soon took a turn which associated us more closely with the fortunes of the Heatherstone family. Mordaunt had taken advantage of my invitation to come down to the laird's house, and on several occasions he brought with him his beautiful

"To your room girl."

sister. The four of us would wander over the moors together; or, perhaps, if the day were fine, set sail upon our little skiff and stand off Into the Irish Sea. On such excursions the brother and sister would be as merry and as happy as two children. It was a keen pleasure to them to escape from their dull fortress, and to see, if only for a few hours, friendly and sympathetic faces round them. There could be but one result when four young people were brought together in sweet forbidden intercourse. Aequaintanceship warmed into friendship, and friendship flamed suddenly into love. Gabriel sits beside me now as I write, and she agrees with me that, dear as is the subject to ourselves, the whole story of our mutual affection is of too personal a nature to be more than touched upon in this statement. Suffice it to say that, within a few weeks of our first meeting Mordaunt Heatherstone had won the heart of my dear sister, and Gabriel had given me that pledge which death uself flood of yellow light. I was still lost will not be able to brenk.

in wonder at the sight when I heard a I have alluded in this brief way to the double tie which sprang up between the two families, because I have no wish that this parrative should degenerate into anything approaching to romance or that I should lose the thread of the facts which I have set myself to chronicle. These are connected with General Heatherstone and only indirectly with my own personal history. It is enough if I say that after our engagement the visits to Branksome become more frequent and that our friends were able sometimes to spend a whole dis with us when business had called the ceneral to Wigtown, and when his gent confined himto his room. As to our good father, he was ever ready to give us with many small je to appropriate to the occasion, for we had no secrets from him, and he already looked upon us all as his children.

There were times when on account of some peculiarly dark or restless fit of the general's it was impossible for Weeks on end for either Gabriel o. Mordannt to get away from the "What is it, Esther, dear?" I asked grounds. The old man would eved of the hand. He would whip us all stand on guard at the avenue gate, of "I feel so frightened. Oh, John pace up and down the drive, as though away on the dead of the night, and John, take me home; I feel so fright he suspected that attempt had been down again in some wilderness where exed!" She clung to my arm, and made to penetrate his sectusion. Passsulled at my coat in a perfect frenzy int of an evening I have seen his dark, r fr figure fitting about in the shadow he rever woul' family us for ventur-"h's mit male, darling." I said rooth- o the trees, or caught a glimbre of his ing cot of the grounds." 🔼 "There is nothing to teat." What I and angular face pecting out at mo. from behind the bars. My heart would be

uncourh nervous movement, his furtive mances and twitching features. Who

ould have believed that this slinking ee, ering creature had once been a craining officer, who had fought the stile, of his country and had won the i'm of bravery among the host of brave men around him?

In spite of the old soldier's vigilance, we managed to hold communication with our friends, Immediately Lehind the Hall there was a spot where the fencing had been so carelessly erected ; that two of the ralls could be removed. without difficulty, leaving a broad gap. which gave us the opportunity for nous a stolen acterview, though they were no essably short, for the general's movements were erratic, and no part of the grounds was secure from his visitations. How vividly one of these hurried

meetings rises before met it stands out clear, peaceful, and distinct amidthe wild, mysterious incidents which catastrophe which has cest a shade I walked through the field the grass was damp with the rain of the morning, and the air was heavy with the smell of the f: sh-turned earth. Gabriel thorn tree outside the gap, and we stood hand-in-hand looking down at with its fringe of foam. Far away in the northwest the sun glinted upon the high peak of Mount Throston. From where we stood we could see the smoke of the steamers as they plowed along

"Is it not magnificent?" Gabriel cried, clasping her hands around my one in a chain of incidents, all of which | arm. "Ah, John, why are we not free to sail away over these waves together. sion upon her mind. That was the and leave all our troubles behind us on the shore?"

"And what are the troubles which you would leave behind you, dear one?" I asked. "May I not know them, and help you to bear them?"

"I have no secrets from you, John," she answered. "Cur chief trouble is, as you may guess, our poor father's strenge behavior. Is it not a sad thing for all of us that a man who has played such a distinguished part in the world should skulk from one obscure corner of the country to another, and should defend himself with locks and barriers as though he were a common thief flying from justice? This is a trouble. John, which it is out of your power to alleviate."

"But why does he do it, Gabriel?"

"I cannot tell." she answered frankly. "I know only that he imagines some deadly danger to be hanging over his herd, and that this danger was incurred by him during his stay in India. What its nature may be I have no more idea than you have."

"Then your brother has." I remarked. I am sure from the way in which he knows what it is, and that he looks upon it as real."

"Yes, he knows, and so does my mother," she answered; "but they have always kept it secret from me. My poor father is very excited at present. Day and night he is in an agony of apprehension, but it will soon be the 5th of October, and after that he will be | ed and dilated. Following the direction at reace." "How do you know that?" I asked in

surprise.

By experience," said she gravely. "On the 5th of October these fears of of which was distorted by the most his come to a crisis. For years back he has been in the habit of locking Mordaunt and myself up in our rooms on that date, so that we have no idea what occurs; but we have always found that he has been much relieved afterward, and has continued to be comparacively in poace until that day began to draw round again."

"Then you have only ten days or so to wait," I remarked, for September is drawing to a close, "By the way, dearest, why is a that you light up an your rooms at night?"

"You have noticed it, then?" she sold. "It comes also from my father's fears. He does not like to have one dark corner in the whole house. He wells about a good deal at night, and inspects everything, from the attic right down to the cellars. He has large lamps in every room and corridor, even the empty ones, and he orders the servants to light them all at dusk."

"I am rather surprised that you manage to keep your servants," I said laughing. "The maids in these parts are a superstitious class, and their imaginations are easily excited by anything which they don't understand."

"The cook and both housemaids are frem Lerdon, and are used to our ways. We pay them on a very high scale to make up for any inconvenience. to which they may be put. Israel stakes, the coachman, is the only one who come from this part of the countive and he seem, to be a stolid, honest fellow who is not easily scared."

"From little gul "I exclaimed, lookor down at the shin, graceful figure It my vide, "This is no atmosphere for you to live in. Why will you not letme researe you from it? Why won't you allow me to go straight and ask the general for your hand? At the worst is contidually refure."

is the thined on achiegard and pale at I'm very thought . For and's sake, to the the never have a chance of seeing er lauring from you again. Besides,

"I don't think that he is a hard-Same and the state of the

his stern face."

"He can be the kindest of fathers." of posed or thy arted. You have never scan him so, and I trust you never will. it was that strength of will and impa- for white." trice of apposition which rusts him ! such a splendid officer. I assure you that in India every one thought a great deal of him. The soldiers were afraid of him, but they would have followed him onywhere."

then?"

"Occasionally; but not nearly so acutely. He seems to think that the pelled in self-defense to strike you over danger-whatever it may be-becomes the wrist with this stick." more imminent every year. Oh, John, at is terrible to be waiting lake this with a sword over our heads-and all the voice, putting his weapon back into his more terrible to me since I have no | bosom. "Can't a gentleman live idea where the blow is to come from."

hand and drawing her to my side. "look over all this pleasant countrywere destined to lead up to the terrible all peaceful and beautiful? In these to squeeze out of her? It wasn't chance cottages, with their red-tiled roofs becoover on, lives. I can remember that as ling out from the gray moor, there live none but simple, God-fearing men, who tell hard at their crofts and bear enmity to no man. Within seven miles was waiting for me under the haw- | ized appliance for the preceive ion of | to be married to each other, and I came

order. Ten miles farther there is a garrison quartered, and a telegram broad blue channel which encircled it | would at any time bring down a company of soldiers. Now, I ask you, dear, in the name of common sense, what conceivable danger could threaten you in this secluded nel-hborhood, with the means of help so ne tr? You assure me that the peril is rot connected with your father's health?"

"No, I am sure of that. It is true that Dr. Easterling, of Strangaer, has been over to seen him once or twice, but that was merely for some small indisposition. I can assure you that the danger is not to be looked for in that direction."

"Then I can assure you," said I, laughing, "that there is no danger at all. It must be some strange monomania or hallucination. No other hypothesis will cover the facts."

"Would my father's monomania account for the fact of my brother's hair being turned gray and my mother wasting away to a mere shadow?"

"Undoubtedly," I answered. "The long-continued worry of the general's resclessness and irritability would produce those effects on sensitive natures." "No, no," she said, shaking her head sadly, "I have been exposed to his restlessness and irritability, but they have had no such effect upon me. The difference between us lies in the fact that

they know this awful secret and we do

nor'

"My dear girl," said I, "the days of family apparitions and that kind of thing are gone. Nobody is haunted tion out of the question. Having done so, what remains? There is absolutely no other theory which could ever be spoke to me about it one day that he suggested. Believe me the whole mystery is that the heat of India has been too mu(h for your poor father's brain."

What she would have answered I cannot tell, for at that moment she gave a start as if some sound had fallen upon her car. As she looked round annichensively I suddenly saw her features become rigid and her eyes fixof her gaze, I felt a sudden thrill of fear pass through me as I perceived a human face surveying us from behind one of the tices—a face every feature malignant hatred and anger. Finding himself observed he stepped out and advanced toward us, when I saw that it was none other than the general himself. His beard was all a-bristle with fury, and his deep-set eyes glowed from under their heavily veined lids with a most sinister and demoniacal brightness.

CHAPTER VI. HOW I CAME TO BE UNLISTED AS OVE OF THE GARRISON OF CLOOMSER.

"To your room, gul!" he cried in a hourse, harsh voice, stepping in between us and pointing authoritatively toward the house. He waited until Gabriel, with a last frightened gletice at me, had passed through the gap, and then he turned upon me with an expression so murderous that I stepped back a pace or two, and tightened my grasp upon my oak stick.

"You-you-" he sputtered, with his hand up to his throat, as though his fury were choking him. "You have dared to intrude upon my privacy! Do you think I built this fence that all the



You are still covering me with your pistol." termin in the country might congretate found it! Oh, you have been very near your death, my fine fellow! You will pever be nearer until your time a mare at and at this " if willed a

she answered. "But he is terrible when light into you. I'll have no vagabonds | ber garrison now." here! I know how to treat gentry of that sort, whether their faces are brack

have deserved this extraordinary outburst. Allow me to observe, however, that you are still covering me with your pistol, and that, as your hand is "And had he these nervous attacks rather tremulous, it is more than proble that it may go off. If you don't turn the muzzle down I shall be coin-

"What the devil brought you here, then?" he asked in a more compared quietly without your coming to peop "Dear Gabriel," I said, taking her and pry? Have you no business of your own to look after, eh? And my daughter? how came you to know anything side and the broad blue sen. Is it not | of her? and what have you been trying that brought you here,"

"No," said I, boldly, "it was not hance which brought me here. I have had several opportunities of seeing your daughter and of appreciating her of us is a large town, with every civil- | many noble qualities. We are engaged up with the express intention of seeins

> Instead of blazing into a fury, as had expected, the general gave a long whistle of astonishment, and ther leaned up against the railings, laugh ing softly to himself.

"English terriers are fond of playing with worms," he remarked at last When we used to bring them out to India they used to trot off into the jungle and begin sniffing at what they imagined to be worms there. But the worm turned out to be a xenomou: snake, and so poor doggy paid the pen alty. I think you'll find yourself in a somewhat analogous position if you don't look out."

"You surely don't mean to cast at aspersion upon your own daughter?" said, flushing with indignation.

"Oh, Gabriel is all right," he an swered, carelessly. "Our family is no exactly one, however, which I should recommend a young fellow to marry into. And pray how is it that I was not informed of this snug little arrangement of yours?"

"We were afraid, sir, that you migh separate us." I replied, feeling that perfect candor was the best policy un der the circumstances. "It is possible that we were mistaken. Before coming to any final decision I implore you to remember that the happiness of both of us is at stake. It is in your power to divide our bodies, but our souls shall be forever united."

"My good fellow," said the general, ir gulf between you and any one of the blood of Heatherstone which can never be bridged over." All trace of anger had vanished now from his manner and given place to an air of somewhat contemptuous amusement.

My family pride took fire at his words. "The gulf may be less than you imagine," I said coldly. "We are not clodhoppers because we live in this out-of-the-way place. I am of noble descent on one side, and my mother was a Buchan of Buchan. I assure you that there is no such disparity between us as you seem to imagine."

"You misunderstand me," the genera answered. "It is on our side that the disparity lies. There are reasons why my daughter Gabriel should live and die single. It would not be to your advantage to marry her."

"But surely, sir." I persisted, "I am the best judge of my own interests and advantages. Since you take this ground all becomes easy; for I do assure you that the one interest which overrides all others is that I should have the woman I love for my wife. It this is your only objection to our match you may surely give us your consent for any danger or trial which I may incur in marrying G brief will not weigh with me one featherweight."

"Here's a young bintam!" exclaimed the old soldier, spilling at my warmth "It's easy to defy danger when you don't know what the danger is,"

"What is it, then?" I asked, hotly "There is no eart! ly peril which will drive me from Gabriel's side. Let me know what it is and test me."

"No, no. That would never do," he answered with a sigh, and then thoughtfully, as if speaking his mind aloud. "He has plenty of pluck, and is a well-grown lad too. We might do worse than make use of him." He went on mumbling to himself with a vacant stare in his eyes as if he had forgotten my presence,

"Look here, West," he said presently. "You'll excuse me if I spoke hastily a little time ago. It is the second time that I have had occasion to applicate to you for the same offense. It shan't occur again. I am rather over particular, no doubt, in my desire for complete isolation; but I have good reasons for insisting on the joint. Rightly or wrengly, I have yot it into my head that some day there might be an organized raid upon my grounds. If any thing of the sort should occur I suppuss I might reckon upon your assistance?" "With all my heart,"

"So that if ever you got a message 'Cleomber!' you would know that it moors, was an appeal for help, and would hurry up immediately, even if it were in the dead of the night?" "Most certainly I should," I answer-

prehend?"

"There would be nothing gained by your knowing. ladeed, you would dist divinhucistand it if I told you.

wen sadden for him as I noticed his i seen a kindly look in his eyes, for all squat, thick pistol out of his bosom. "If must bid you good day now, for I have you had passed through that gap and stayed with you too long. Remember, set foot on my land I'd have let day- I count upon you as one of the Cloom-

"One other thing, sir," I said, hurriedly, for he was turning away; "[ hope that you will not be angry with I clader "Sir," said I, "I meant no harm by | your daughter for anything which I coming here, and I do not know how I have told you. It was for my sake that she kept it all secret from you."

"All right," he said, with his cold, inscrutable smile. "I am not such an ogre in the bosom of my family as you. seem to think. As to this marriage question, I should advise you as a spec of Train of Parlo Care From New York friend to let it dr. p altogether, but if that is impossible I must insist that it stend over completely for the present. Gettysburg. Luray and It is impossible to say what unexpected turn events may take. Good-aye!" He nlinged into the wood and was quickly out of my sight among the dense plantation.

Thus ended this extraordinary interview, in which this strange man had begun by pointing a loaded pistol at my breast and had ended by partially acknowledging the possibility of my becoming his future son-in-law. I hardly knew whether to be cast down or elated over it. On the one hand he was likely, by keeping a closer watch over his daughter, to prevent us from communicating as freely as we had done hitherto. Against this there was the advantage of having obtained an implied consent to the renewal o my suit at some future date. On the whole, I came to the conclusion as walked thoughtfully home that I had improved my position by the incident

But this danger—this shadowy, unspeakable danger-which appeared to rise up at every turn, and to hang day and night over the towers of Cloomber! Rack my brain as I would I could no conjure up any solution to the problem which was not puerile and inadequate One fact struck me as being significant Both the father and the son had assured me, independently of each other that if I were told what the peril was I would hardly realize its significance How strange and bizarre must the fear be which can scarce be expressed in in telligible language. I held up my hané in the darkness before I turned to sleep that night, and I swore that no power of man or devil should ever weaker my love for the woman whose pure heart I had had the good fortune to

CHAPTER VII. OF CORPORAL RUFUS SMITH AND HIS COMING TO CLOOMBER.

In making this statement I have purposely couched it in bald and simple language, for fear I should be accused of coloring my narrative for the sake of effect. If, however, I have told my story with any approach to realism, the reader will understand me when I say that by this time the succession of a not unkindly tone, "you don't know | dramatic incidents which had occurred what you are asking for. There is a had arrested my attention and excited my imagination to the exclusion of al minor topics. How could I plod through the dull routine of an agent's work, or interest myself in the thatch of this tenant's bothy or the sails of that one's hoat, when my mind was taken up by the chain of events which I have described, and was still busy seeking an explanation for them? Go where I would over the countryside I could see the square white tower shooting out from among the trees, and beneath that tower this ill-fated family were watching and waiting, waiting and watching-and for what? That was still the question which stood like an impassable barrier at the end of every



"A vacant stare in his eyes."

train of thought. Regarded merely as an abstract problem, this mystery of the Heatherstone family had a lurid fascination about it, but when the woman whom I loved a thousandfold better than I did myself proved to be so deeply interested in the solution, I felt that it was impossible to turn my thoughts to anything else until it had been finally cleared up.

My good father had received a letter from the laird, dated from Naples, which told us that he had derived much benefit from the change, and that he had no intention of returning to Scotland for some time. This was satisfactory to all of us, for my father had found Branksome such an excellent place for study that it would have been a sore trial to him to return to the noise and tumult of a city. As to my dear sister and myself, there were, at I have shown, stronger reasons still such as 'Come up,' or even sim, is to make us love the Wigtownshire

In spite of my interview with the general-or perhaps I might say on account of it-I took occasion at least twice a day to walk toward Cloomber ed. "But might I ask you what the and satisfy myself that all was well nature of the danger is which you ap-1 there. He had begun by resenting my intrusion, but he had ended by taking

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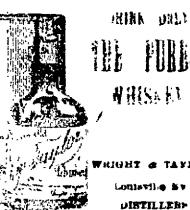
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eral Hale's brigade advanced and took the waterworks at Singalon. Four companies of the Nebraska regelment and a wounded.

sergeant in the third artillery, was tum will find them effective. wounded, captured and brutally murdered, and his body when recovered was found to have been horribly mutilated. valves and heads of the steamchest and and take no substitute. cylinder of the pumping machinery.

General Overshine's brigade advanced and took Paranaque, capturing two field guns. They met with no opposition. General McArthur's division advanced other. Street car traffic, however, has beyond Gagalangin, without loss, the enemy retreating upon Caloocan.

The Americans now have the steam car line to Malabon, and 600 marines, with four Maxime, have been landed from the fleet on the beach, north of the city.

The Third artillery, on the main road. and the Utah battery, in a cemetery, covered the advance of the Kansas

Among the important points captured was a strong embrasured earthwork within sight of Caloocan.

There was considerable firing from the upper windows of the houses in the native quarters of the city last night, but no casualties have been reported as the

result. The signal corps were compelled to run their lines along the firing line during the fighting and, consequently, there were frequent interruptions of communication, owing to the cutting of the wires, and the signal men were ordered to kill without hesitancy any one who attempted to interfere with the lines.

Aguinaldo, the rebel leader, issued two proclamations on Saturday and to meet him, but when the parties met guilty and is now serving a state prison Sunday. The first declares the Amer- the Filipinos opened fire. The Filipino icans opened the fight, and calls upon | colonel thercupon apologized for the barthe Filipino congress to suspend the constitution.

The second says: "We have fought our ancient oppressors without arms, and we now trust to God to defend us against the foreign invaders."

The Nebraskans have recovered the lost parts of the pumping machinery of the waterworks, which assures a speedy resumption of the water supply of the city.

cent, at 3.45 p. m., are in complete control the waterworks buried in a coal-pile at of the situation within a radius of nine miles of Manila, their lines extending to Malabon on the north and to Paranaque | employes having proceded to return to on the south, are fully 25 miles long.

While a few detached bodies of the enemy still offer desultory opposition. the main body of the rebels is in full retreat and utterly routed.

Of the hordes of troops originally drawn up in battle array against the Americans, fully one-third are already incapacitated and the others are scattered in every direction.

The terrible loss of the rebels may be gathered from the fact that 160 of them were buried in one rice fiéld on Monday, near Pasas, and that 87 were interred between Pace and Santa Rna. A con- congress order and accord a suspension verted river gunboat did terrible execu- of the constitutional guarantee, retion among the rebels, sweeping both sulting from the declaration of war." banks of the river with her gatling guns canebrakes and died there like stricken

The Americans are working nobly in tors to succor the wounded of the enemy.

The correspondent of the Associat- gression of justice and liberty." ed Press is informed that some members of the hospital corps have made the startling discovery that there are several women, in masculine uniform and with their hair cropped, among the dead.

The chief of the Vgorotes, the Filipina natives who fought so gallantly in the an armed conflict, but claims that all his face of our military fire with their bows and arrows, is in a hospital suffering measured pride of the American reprefrom a shattered thigh. He admits that he never saw modern artillery and was ignorant of its effects until he and his followers met the disastrous fire of Sunday morning. The chief is bittery incensed against the Tagaros for placing the Vgorotes in front of the American battery under the pretence that they were sent to occupy a post of honor, and intimates that the Vgorotes will avenge this treachery when the survivors return

It is regarded as a significant fact that many of the Filipino officials of this city and to learn to triumph over our encdisappeared from Manila as soon as hostlittes commenced. Some of them are supposed to be still hiding here. Hundreds of women refugees are pouring inlages around Manila have as a rule been destroyed by the troops.

portation increases. The American com- lung disease manders have already been compelled to impress hower and vehicles on all sides, to the inconvenience, naturally, of the Man, Winstow's Scotning Synce has been

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says: "I was taken with neute lameness District Attorney McLaughlin against in the back and it became so tender over the kidneys that I could not bend forward loss is making any quick movement. The a head line which appeared in a Boston muchus surfaces of the stomach. To pais, and the tired out feeling hanging newspaper in connection with the trial, over me all the time was most distressing, Mantia, Feb. 7 .- Late yesterday Gen- I was very bad when I went to Philbrick's pharmacy in Franklin block for Doan's Kidney Pills, yet they very quickly banefitted me and I discontinued using them part of the Utah battery, with two field | before the box was completed. I am favguns and two Hotchkiss guns, met the orably impressed with the old Quaker enemy on the hill a half-mile out, and a remedy, and as I am quite recovered from sharp engagement took place, in which the attack I can certainly recommend it of the surprise which the assistant disthe Nebraskans lost one dead and three I advise anyone having anything wrong with their kidneys to try Doan's Kidne. Dr. Young, formerly quartermaster Pil's and I am confident anyone trying

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> or have disappeared in some manner of been resumed and the cars are running regularly, though the streets are almost deserted.

There are a few native stores open, and white flags, in the nature of towels, pillowslips and aprons tied to bamboos. adorn the windows of the native residences everywhere. But, in spite of these emblems of peace, scores of Filipinos, under the cover of darkness, fired from these same windows yesterday evening on the American patrols. At 9 o'clock last night there was a general fuisilade in the Quiapo and Binon districts. The inhabitants of the city, generally believed that a battle was raging at their doors, lights were extinguished inside the dwellings and a majority of the people were in a state of terror. Under the circumstances it is remarkable that no casualties were reported. Several shots were fired across the river during the excitement. General Hughes has the interior situation absolutely in hand.

A Filipino colonel came out this morning from Caloocan under a flag of truce. Several American officers promptly went | years ago. In the first case he was found barous conduct of his troops, and returned to his lines under fre.

The American troops are being promptly furnished with supplies of all kinds, hospital atterdance is supplied up to the firing line, and, in brief, all the wants of our troops are met immediate ty by the different military departments whose duty it is to attend to such mat-

Artificer Hayes of company I, of the Colorado regiment, discovered the miss-The Americans, as this dispatch is lng parts of the pumping machinery of Singalon station. The machinery will soon be in working order again, and the work this evening, it is improbable that the threatened water farme - will occur. Aguinaldo's preclamation of Saturday

"I order and command:

"First, that peace and friendly relations with the Americans be broken. and that the latter be treated as enemies, within the limits prescribed by the "Second, that the Americans captured

be held as prisoners of war. "Third, that this proclamatiton be communicated to the consuls, and that

and her heavier battery. Hundreds of says the outbreak of hostilities was "un-Filipinos undoubtedly crawled into the | justly and unexpectedly provoked by the Americans," refers to his manifests of Jan. 8, publishing the alleged grievances the inquiry, to the procurator general, of the Filipinos at the hands of the army their efforts to find the wounded and are of occupation, and the "constant out- ion to the criminal section of the court bringing hundreds of suffering rabels rages and taunts which have been causinto the hospitals for treatment. The ing misery to the Manilans," and refers natives are unable to understand the to the useless conferences" and "conhumane motives which prompt the vic- tempt shown for the Filipino government" as proving a "premeditated trans-

The rebel leader also refers to the former losses of the Filipinos, but says "slavery is bitter," and calls upon them to "sacrifice all upon the altar of honor and natiotnal integrity." He insists that he tried to avoid, as far as possible, efforts "were useless before the unsentatives," whom he charges with having treated him as a rebel, "because I defended the interests of my country and would not become the instrument

of their dastardly intentions." Agninaldo concludes by saying: "Be not discouraged. Our independence was watered freely by the blood of martyrs, and more will be shed in the future to strengthen it. Remember that | Justin and Celtic, now at Mare island, work being dull at Ayer, he drew his efforts are not wasted that ends he gained. It is indispensable to adjust days will carry coal for the flest, and going away. He told/two of his intiour actions to the rules of law and right | the Celtic will taken frozen meat. The rules friends of his plans, and recognized

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### FOR SECOND TIME

Mulrey-Scollans Boston Fraud Case Is Interrupted.

Juryman Milliken Charged With Having Amistant District Attorney McLaughlin, Milliken Suya He Is Not Gailty-He Is

Boston, Feb. 7.-The second jury in the Mulrey-Scollans teaming fraud case has been dismissed by Judge Bond on ac-Mrs. Ira E. Randall, 73 Pleasant street. count of charges brought by Assistant Juror Charles H. Milliken of Chelsea. who is accused of receiving bribes. The which was judged to be an unwarrantable interference with the cause of juspaneled yesterday.

The case on trial was that of J. R. Mulrey and Thomas J. Scollans, who are charged with having obtained money from the city through fraudulent teaming contracts. No intimation was given trict attorney had in store until the court opened and Mr. McLaughlin arose to assistant district attorney openly accused Juror Charles H. Milliken, a Cheimoney from certain sources in connection with the case.

Mr. Milliken promptly denied that he had been a party to the alleged transacexamination by Mr. McLaughlin. The membrane of the pose becomes inflamed juror denied the truth of the statement and the poisonous discharge therefrom that while in his store last Friday he had shown a roll of bills and had said that he would receive \$100, on Monday morning. At the conclusion of the examination Judge Bond said he was convinced that the **f**uror had certain money in his posession which he could not account for honorably and he was of the pinion that the jury should be discharged.

John B. Moran, counsel for the defendant Scollans, stated that he would be willing to continue the case with 11 jurors. Assistant District Attorney Mc-Laughlin objected and Judge Bond, therefore, ordered the discharge of the jury. Milliken was not arrested.

The case has become notorious to the many sensational features it has developed. Besides the discharge of the former jury on account of the newspaper headline, yesterday George H. Wentworth, a Brighton contractor, who was a be found at all drug stores. witness in the case, was placed under arrest by order of Judge Bond charged with perjury and held for \$10,000.

This is the fourth time Mulrey, who was a clork at city hall, has been called for trial in connection with the teaming fraud cases, which developed some two sentence. His name having been coupled with that of Scollans in connection with certain phases of the frauds, these men were indicted jointly. They have appeared as defendants before four juries. In the first two trials the juries disagreed, and the other two juries were those discharged by Judge Bond.

#### DEATH FROM SMALLPOX.

Waterville, Me., Feb. 7.-The first death from smallpox in Waterville was announced this morning. A child of Joseph Higgins, whose house is quarantined, died during the night. The Pooler girl of Winslow, who was not expected to live throughout the night, remains in about the same condition as this morning. It was found this morning that quarantine was being but partially respected in Waterville and Winslow. In Winslow a woman was seen to leave a quarantined house and cross the street, miles out. Considerable skirmishing entering a dwelling not under restric- with enemy, which made no stand. tion. On the plains in Waterville, where | Pumps damaged; will be working in but three houses are quarantined, 20 cases were unofficially reported. Several other houses will be placed in quarantine today. Citizens desire the state board of vails. health to take charge of quarantine regulations for the safety of the public.

#### THE DREYFUS CASE.

Paris, Feb. 7 .- The criminal section of the court of cassation has concluded Aguinaldo's proclamation of Monday its inquiry into the Dreyfus trial and formally declared it closed at today's sitting. It will now refer the whole matter, with the new light developed during who will be required to report his opinof cassation, which will pronounce a decision unless the government's revision bill is adopted, in which case the matter will go before the united courts of cassation, instead of before the criminal section alone.

#### SHODDY MILL BURNED.

Holyoke, Mass., Feb. 7 .- Connor Brothers' shoddy mill at Bigelow and Cabot streets, was burned this morning. The loss is \$20,000, fully covered by insurance. The fire started at 8 o'clock by a spark from a "picker" and quickly spread through the loose cotton. The are department fought the flames the greater part of the morning. The building was owned by the Holyoke Water Power company, and was totally dertroyed.

#### TRANSPORTS GETTING READY.

are now being overhapled, and in a few Cleveland.

#### OLYMPIA'S SILVER SERVICE.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 7 .- The contract for a silver services to be presented to Admiral Dewey's flagship Olympia by | voted in favor of no license by 47 mathe citizens of Washington has been awarded to a firm of San Francisco. The service is to consist of 27 pieces, and it

#### CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

A Pleasant, Simple, but Safe and Ef fectual Cure for it.

Catarch of the stomach has long been , TAKEN FROM JURY BY JUDGE BOND considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure Received Money-Accusation Made by on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling

There is often a foul taste in the menth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condi- days for 1 the high court of justice to-

The cure of this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readity, thoroughly digested before it has time Twinges of pain often caught me in the first jury was dismissed on account of to ferment and irritate the delicate secure a prompt and healthly digestion, is the one necessary thing to do and when normal dige-tion is secured the tice in the case. The second jury was im- estarrhal conditi n. will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Hallinson the safe-t and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diatase, Aseptic, Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and finit acids. These tablets can now be found at an drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets present the matter to Judge Bond. The and not being a patent medicice can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough sea barber, of having illegally received digestion will follow their regular use after meule.

Mr N J Boyher of 2710 Dearborn St . Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected tion and was put under a severe cross cold in the head, whereby the lining passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorithieprescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but toonly one box of Stuart's Dyspensia Tab lets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling I have found fl-sh, appetite and sound rest from their use,'

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and blosting after meals.

Send for little book mailed free, on stomach troubles, by addressing Stnart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can

#### OTIS REPORTS.

Estimates Our Loss and Also That of the Filipinos In Battle.

Washington, Feb. 7.- The war department today received the following dispatch from General Otis:

Adjutant General, Washington: The insurgent army concentrated around Manila from Luzon provinces, numbering over 20,000, possessing several quick-firing and Krupp guns, Good portion of enemy armed with Mausers, latest pattern. Two Krupp and great many rifles captured. Insurgents fired great quantity of ammunition. Quite a number of Spanish soldiers in insurgent service who served artillery.

Insurgents constructed strong entrenehments near our lines, mostly in bamboo thickets. These our men charged, killing or capturing many of the enemy. Our casualties probably aggregate 259. Full reports today, Casualties of insurgents heavy. Have buried some 500 of their dead and hold 500 prisoners. Their loss killed, wounded and prisoners, probably 4000. Took waterworks, pumping station, yesterday six a week. Have number of condensers set up in city, which furnish good water. Troops in excellent spirits. Quiet pre-

#### Otia. PENSION CHANGES.

Names of New England Men and Women Added to the Roll. Washington, Feb. 7.-The following pension changes resulting from the is-

sue of Jan. 26 are announced: Maine-Additional, Tilden Thomas, Pogus, \$10 to \$12 Reissue, Charles C. Flanders, East Stoneham, \$30.

New Hampshire-Increase, George S. Mudeett, Riverdale, \$12 to \$24. Massachusetts-Original, George Nicholson, Auburndale, \$6; James Scott, Ipswich, \$6; Brano Couillard, Dodgeville,

Rhode Island-Increase, Dexter Smith, Cranston Print works, \$6 to \$12. Original, widows, etc., Mary T. Westcott, Cowes-

Connecticut-Original, John B. Tay, Hazardville, \$6.

HIS OWN DETECTIVE.

Boston, Feb. 7.-Michael Scanlon was arrested here today charged with highhas been following three men said to were caught in Lawrence yesterday, San Francisco, Feb. 7.-The steamers Flanagan's story is to the effect that, savings-\$550-from the bank, and was steamer Connemaugh, now on her way to these two men as his assailants, later. tional stores may be sent on the steamer took up the case houself, and succeeded in locating the men and causing their

#### VOTED NO LICENSE.

Orleans, Mass., Feb. 7 .- This town has jority, only three votes having been cast 1 in favor of beense. This result was dent eleveland was asked today for an reached this morning, the annual town expression of opinion on the buttle of is to be manufactured of native rilver. I meeting, which was held yesterday, have. Manila and the natification of the peace civilians. The public conveyances, at said for children testing, it souths the child. In addition to the service, a library is ing been adjourned until today before the ticaty but he declined to say anything this writing, have either been impressed to be to be given the Clympia.

Twenty are come bottle.

Manila and the naturation of the peace included in the latituding of the peace in the pea

### AN OPEN APOLOGY

Soothed Wounded Feelings of William W. Astor.

#### SUED THE LONDON MAIL FOR LIBEL

When Case Came to Trial Lord Chief Justice Suggested an Apology-This Was Given In Court and Case Withdrawn From the Jury-Apology Was For Giving Annovance.

London, Feb. 7.-In the queen's bench day, is fore the Lord chief justice of England, Baron Russen of Ellowen, and a special jury, was heard the suit of Mr. William Wardorf Astoring and the Duly Man of this city, to relater the sum at \$5000 damages for a libel which held him

"Up to ridicate and contempt." There was an imposing array of counsel on both sides. Sir Edward Clarke, C. C., formerly solution general, counsel. for the plaint, if, said the libel was published on Oct. Is last, and was bear d, "Mr. Astor's strange dinner party."

the outcome of a wager of \$2500 with General Owen Williams, Mr. Astor brought the trank of a California redat Cliveden around it. A fictitious list of guests, counsel claimed, was published and, indeed, the whole details except the mere fact that Mr. Astor brought the tree to England was an effect of the imagination, and Mr. Astor claimed he was thereby hold up to the public as 'a foolish and ridiculous person."

Mr. Astor took the stand and confirmed Sir Edward Clarke's statements. He added that many of the guests mentioned were unknown to him, and he expressed the belief that some of them did not exist. The matter caused him great annoyance, but he was willing to accept

Thereupon the lord chief justice asked if it was not possible for an apology to day I am the happiest of men after using be given at this stage of the proceedings. The Rt. Hon. Edward Henry Catson, Q. C., in behalf of Mr. Alfred Charles Harmsworth, principal proprietor of The Daily Mail, said his client was always ready and willing to apologize.

"Whether the matter published is a libel or not." the lord chief justice remarked, "is a question for the jury to decide. But surely it is proper to apologize for giving annoyance."

"My clients," said Mr. Carson, "while they don't admit the libel are anxious not to publish anything which may cause annoyance."

"It cannot be said," replied the lord chief justice, "that these personal paragraphs are not sometimes very annoying. This is the fringe of a very large question. One carnot fail to see that there is a growing fashion, perhaps expied from the press with which Mr. Astor is better acquainted than we are, of publishing personal paragraphs which are

very annoying." this morning regarding myself, erronc- 6th, 1899, at the following hours: 9 a other day described a painful incident at the City Election to be held on as follows: in my career. It said it had been my March 14th, 1899. duty, in the position of president of the decree between myself and my first wife. from 8 a. m. to 12 m. and 1 p. m. to 4 been divorced, and I am not the president of the divorce court,"

Addressing Mr. Carson, the chief justice remarked: "I think your client ought to apologize for publishing the paragraph which has given annoyance

to Mr. Astor." To this Mr. Carson replied: "I adopt your lordship's suggestion absolutely. The proprietors of The Daily Mail wish me to say that they do not wish to give annoyance, though some people are annoyed by these things and others are not. They regret they gave annoyance

to Mr. Aster and apologize for so doing." The case was then settled, the jury being withdrawn and the proceedings

#### coming to an end. BEAT THE RECORD.

London, Feb. 7.-There was the usual competition among members of parliament today to be the first to take a seat in the house of commons on the reopening of parliament. Mr. Rebert Ashcroft, Conservative rember for Oldham, beat the record, arriving at the house at 12 15 a. m. Mr. John Cumming Macdona, Conservative member for the Botherhithe division of Southwark, arrived at 1 a.m. Others arrived during the night. A mafority of both houses assembled just before 2 p. m. when the usher of the Black Rod, General Sir Michael Biddulph, came from the house of lerds and, with the usual ceremony, summoned the commons to the house of lerds for the purpose of hearing the queen's speech read by the lord chancellor, the fearl of Hausbury. Both houses then adjourned until +p. m. GOVERNOR OBJECTS.

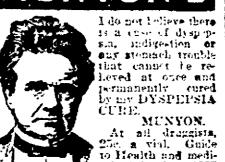
Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 7, - Governor Richards yesterday wrote to Russell way robbery by Patrick Flanagan of Mason, who is frying to bull of the next Ayer, Mass., who, since last September, | Sharkov light in this state, as follows "I have no sympathy with anything have attacked him at Ayer Junction, of the kind, and the berente con sugand after heating him until he became | rest will not compensate the dimex Insensible, robbed him of \$550. Scan- | that would be done the fitte if the light lon is the last of the three accused by | were permitted. I state turther that Planagan to be arrested. The other two the laws will be rigidly entorced if in t effort is made toward bringing off the fight in Wyoming, '

#### PROMINENT LAWYER DEAD.

Rockland, Me., Peb. 7 - The death of Albert S. Rice, formerly a prominent lawyer, was announced this morning. this port, will probably be sent to Ma- The police tried to find the persons ac- Mr. His saled at his home during the nila with munitions of war and addi- cused by Flanagan, but failed. Then he might He was 61 years old, was a som of the late Judge Rice of Augusta, and was a graduate of Bowdoin. He had filled the offices of register of probate, county attorney, and representative to the legislature.

### HE WOULD NOT TALK,

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 7, Fx-Presi-



cal advice free, 1505

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#### CHECKLIST NOTICE.

The Board of Regi-trars of Voters for the City of Portsmonth hereby give Portsmouth, Kittery and Yerk notice that they will be in session at the Common Council Chamber at City Hall, in said city, on the following dates, viz: February 3d, 6th. 10th, "A paragraph appears in a newspaper 14th. 17th, 21st, 24th, 28th, March 3d, ously stating that I forced my carriage m, to 12 m, 2 p. m. to 5 p. m, 7:30 p. through the Horse guards parsage notwithstanding the opposition of the ing up and correcting the Checklists of Portemouth, making close consecution. guerds, and un American paper the the several wards in said city to be used with the cars at Ferry landing, Killing

The said Board will be in session at divorce court, to pronounce a divorce the same place on March 14th, 1899, 8 20, 9 50 pm. names are omitted from the lists.

Voters must bear in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their 9 50, 10 50, pm. names are on the lists by presenting themselves at some meeting of the Board. This clause will be strictly en-

> LORENZO T. BURNHAM, Chairman.

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Concerd and intermediate stations -Portensouth, 8.39 a. m., 12.65, 5.35 p. m. Greenland Village, \$.30 a. to., 22.54, \$.36 p. cs Rockingham Junction, 9.84 a. m., 1.07, 5.86 a. Spping, 9.26 a. m., 1.21, 4.00 p. m. Hayroond, 9.25 s. m., 1.22, 4.15 p. m.,

MARKETTINE SORVE Concord, 7.45, 7425 a. m., \$30 p. m. Manchester, 8.30, 11 19 a. m., 4.39 p. m. Exymond, 2.10, 11.43 a. m., 5,62 p. m. Eoping, 9,22 a. m., 12.00, 5.15 p. m. Rockingham Junction, 5.47 a. m., 12.17,5.23 p. m. Grounland Village, 18:11 a. m., 12:20, 6:26 p. m.

Trains convet at Rockingham Juneau for Exeter, Haverbill, Lawrence and Hoston. Trains co-nect at Manchester and Canonia for Plymouth, Woodsville, Lancaster; St. John . oury, Nawport, Vt.; Montreal and the west

#### Esstern Division.

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m Sundays, 8:00, 13:48 a. m., \$:57 p. m Returning, 6:50, 10:24 a. m., 1:35, 4:30, 4.30 9:32 p. m. Sundays, 7:30 s. m., 5:22 p. m

### GOVERNMENT FERRY

TIME TABLE.

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Leave Portementa-4:10", 8:30, \$28, \$2 1:00 a. m., 19:15, 1:55, 2:15, 3:20, 4:20, 5:20, \$40 0.00 p m., (Wednesdays and Saturdaya.) ays, 9:05, 10:00 s, m., 12:00 m., 12:20 13:46 p. Tolidays, 10:20, 11:00 a. m., 17:10 w

\*From May until October

# Street Railway

Winter Time Table

For York Beach-650, 820, 930

11 20, a m; 12 50, 2 20, 3 50, 5 20, 6 60 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50; 5 20, **5 3**0

6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 20, 8 50, 9 50 60, 1050, pm. Cars leave York Beach for Person mouth as follows:-545, 645, 8 18

9 45, 11 15, a m; 12 45, 2 15, 3 45, 5 15, 6 45, 8 15, 9 45 p m. Leave Sea Point for Portamouth follows-:\*6 00. 6 80, 7 00, 7 30, 8 06 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 08, 11 30 a m; 12 00, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 68, 2 30, 3 00, 5 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30,

10 30 p m. \*From car house. Sunday time same as on week days ex capt that the first boat leaves Feet Landing, Portsmouth, at 7 50 a m, and

York Beach at 8 15 a m.

NOTICE-That the ferry leaves Portsmouth 10 minutes before the aven bour and half bour; cars run to Yesh A Beach every hour and a balf. For special and extra curs address.

## EXETER STREET BAILWAY.

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Commencing Oct. 14, until further and tice. Official time table.

Leave Exeter Depot for Beach. 6.45 7.54, 9.60, \*9.30, 10.00, 11 00, 12 00 🖦 m.; 1.00, 2.00, \*2.30, 3.00, 4.00, 8.00 \*5.38, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, \*\$.CC; \*10.20 \$.

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Arrive at Seach-6.45, \$45, 8.68 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. w.; 2.00, 2.60 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 4.00, 9.00 p

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3.00, 4.00 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 6.66, 9.87 p 🕄 Leave Hampion Depot for Breterin 6.05, 7.03, 8.03, 9.22, 10.14, 11.18, 16.00 a. m.; 1.18, 2 18, 3.18, 4.16, 5.21, 6.22 7.18, 8.18, 9.48, "9.58, "11.30 p. m.

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2.00, 2.25, **3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 5.00** 

7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 19.**30** p. m. Sunday for our leaves lies train for Hosten, etherwise at the Rast End School, Mo for slope of thirties dolly

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## FOR PORTSMOUTH

### PORTSHOUTH'S INTERESTS.

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**WRDNESDAY, FEB. 8, 180**9.

Great Britain is to be saked to break up the apy bureau mangurated at Mon-

Both Senators Chandler and Gallingur voted for the treaty and the state is proped of their act.

Congressman Sulloway was among the happiest men in Washington over the action of the senate.

aldo and his men with guns. Well, Uncle Sam will tend to those Frankfurters in due time.

Spain is again in the hands of the bun-She is being made to believe that Aguinaldo and his men won. the boy king ever wake up and insist on his subjects telling the trath.

A despatch read on Tuesday that the field and large guns were operated bythe Spanjards, who have joined the insurgents. Thanks to poor old Spain, our troops are perfectly safe with the big guns in the hands of her subjects.

The record made by Massachusetts in the war with Spain is one that she may rest assured will never encourage envy by her sister states. The act of her senior senator on Monday brings her record to a complete and fitting close.

Aguinaldo's representatives in Washing- treaty. The circulars distributed de ton were too insignificant to bother with. General Otis and Admiral Dewey will honor of the incorporation of Porto no doubt report the same of the Philip- Rico among the United States. pine leader when they push him off the

#### THE TRAITORS.

Twenty-nine traitors are now in the senate of the United States, and here are their names:

Mitchell.

Bacon.	Mitchell.
Bate.	Money.
Berry.	Murpby.
Caffery.	Pasco.
Chilton.	Pettigrev
Cockrell.	Rawline.
Daniel.	Roach.
Gorman.	Smith.
Hale.	Tillman,
Heitfield.	Turley.
Hoar.	Turpie.
Jones (Ark.)	Turner.
Mallory.	Veat.
Martin.	White.
Mille	

Ali democrats but five. All these men, with the exception of White and Turpie, who were paired against the treaty, vuted in the senate on Monday in collusion with the enemies of their country engaged in battling of the naval appropriation hill. Twelve with American soldiers and sailors at new warships are agreed to and three liquids. Aguinaldo and his forces were under consideration. The comnoble in comparison—they fired from the front; these senatorial traitors fired mittee has been forwarded the recom-

specicals from the time forth. The blood shed at Manila is on their hands.

They belong in the infamous category
to which American memory holds BenOUR F.

westy-nine traitors!—New York Sun.

#### No Right to Uglinero

The women who is lovely in face, friends, but one who would be attract. ASSIGNED TO DUTY AT LEAGUE ive must keep her health. If she is musk, sickly and all run down she will be bervous and irritable. If she has mustipation or kidney trouble, her imtime blood will cause pimples, blotches, Clark, formerly blockes. Electric Bitters is the heat tain of the mental part of the m The bleed. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth volvety stin, rich brightness. It will make a good-look-in shruning wemen of a run-down in the Coly 20 cents at Globe Grocery

Pants detaurs, don't daily with seller, but pushly and earlish your with flood's Sarsapanila.

GENERAL EAGAN'S SENTENCE.

WARRINGTON, Feb. 7.-The president today caused to be promulgated the centencing of Charles P. Eagan.

The court martial sentence was dismissel from the army, and the presi- I dent has commuted this to six years' saspension from duty, which covers the remainder of the time prior to General Eagan's retirement in January, 1905.

It was stated by the adjutant general that General Esgan's suspension will expire within a few days of his retirement under the age limit. He will be remstated in time to retire with the regular rank and pay provided in such smartly to start the heart again. Then cases. The sentence of suspension, according to legal officers of the department, does not deprive General Eagan of any part of his pay, but as the sentence reads "without rank and duty" he loses his allowance, which included computation of quarters, rations and fuel, and his horse allowance. This is quits a large financial item.

#### RECOMMENDS ITS REPEAL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. -- By unanimons vote the judiciary committee of the bouse today decided to recommend the repeal of what is said to be the last remnant of disqualification against those who served in the confederacy. The proposed amendment is as follows: 'That the sections of the revised statutes which disqualify persons, otherwise qualified, from serving as grand or petit jarors in the courts of the United States, who have taken up arms or joined in any insurrection or rebel-So the Germans fitted out Aguin- lion sgainst the United States, is re pesied, and hereafter no person shall be disqualified for any service in any court. or in any branch of or department of the government of the United States, on account of their participation in the

#### WILL NOT GO TO MANILA.

and near shore. The Iowa needs a partridges when feeding on said trees. good deal of repairing and no programme has been mapped out for her.

#### PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Feb. 7.—There was a public demonstration today to President McKinley announced that celebrate the ratification of the peace scribed the affair as a celebration in

#### CONGRATULATIONS TO OTIS AND DEWEY.

WASHINGTON, Fab. 7 .- Secretary Alger this morning sent the following cablegram to General Otis at Manila:

"Accept my best congratulations upon your magnificent victory of Sunday, all the more creditable because you were not the aggressors."

The following cablegram was sent to Admiral Dewey:

"Congratulations."

(Signed) Long,

THE NAVAL COMMITTEE AT WORK.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The naval committee of the house today reached a conclusion as to the important items are under consideration. The commendations of the secretary of the second and has passed on the second and will be a histing and byword among fourth classes of new ships recommend-

### OUR FIGHTING STRENGTH.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- The secretary of war has sent to congress a statement WILL BE THROWN OVERBOARD. He prescribed his Golden Medical Disof the militia, showing a total organized force of 101,536; total unorganized HAVANA, Feb. 7.—The cans of beef and available 8,999,825.

## ISLAND.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.-Captain C. E. Clark, formerly of the battleship Ore. ship Iowa is entering the harbor. gon, has been assigned to duty as captain of the nevy yard, League Island.

### MOTED DIVINE DEAD.

Reverend John Williams, D. D., LL. ary 23, February 6 and 27, March 13 D., head of the Episcopal church in and 27, April 2, 10 and 24. Seven days,

America, died here this evening, aged \$23. Side trip to Old Point Comfort.

The same of death Hinerary of D. N. Bell, Tourist Agent, work so he does will have their endury premise. was the grippe.

## TERRIBLE SINKING SPELLS.

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"I have been afflicted for about two years with trouble with my stomach, which would beat violently and throb, and from that it went to my head. Then came on sinking spells from inaction of



followed vomiting spells, so that I was obliged to call the doctor to stop that. I was very miserable for more than a year. "I began to use Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. The results were that those awful vomiting spells were less frequent, and my rest was far more refreshing, and after the third bottle I can

ay that I am greatly benefited." What gives people the greatest confidence is that Dr. Greene's Nervura is the prescription of a regular physician, Dr. Greene, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass. who can be consulted by anyone without charge in regard to any case, either by calling or writing to Dr. Greene.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE.

Concord, Feb. 7.—The house this afternoon passed bills allowing the Washington, Feb. 7.—There is no ransfer of property between husband present prospect of the lows being des- and wife without the intervention patched from San Francisco to Manila of a third party; making the pen The Oregon is under orders and on the alty of murder in the second degree way to join Admiral Dewey's squadron. imprisonment at the discretion of The present navel need in the Philip- of the court; requiring the examinapines is not battleships, but light tion and licensing of plumbers; aldraught gunboats for use on the rivers lowing owners of fruit trees to shoot

The senate passed a bill providing that the fines and forfeitures in fish and game cases shall be turned into a detective fund; incorporating the Meredith Ossipee and Mt. Vernon Milford electric rathroad companies; and providing that when legal holidays come on Sunday the following day shall be observed.

#### KILLED IN COLLISION.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Feb. 7.-Four men were killed, three frightfully iniured and others hurt in a head-on collision on the Iron Mountain railroad here today.

#### DROWNED IN THE RIVER.

MIDDLESBORO, Kr., Feb. 7.-Mrs. Mary Williams, her son Harvey, and two small children, were drowned while fording the river today which was swollen by the recent rain.

#### OUR CASUALITIES WERE 197.

Washington, Feb. 7.—General Otis' report of the casualities in the Manila fight up to date aggregate 197. Fortynine officers and men were killed and 148 wounded.

#### GARDNER WON.

New York, Feb. 7 .- Oscar Gardner, the Omaha kid, defeated Solly Smith of California very easily in six rounds at the Lenox Athletic club, tonight.

### A COLD RIDE.

WEBSTER CITY, IA., Feb. 7.-The and I felt like fainting. My heart beat 120 body of Charles Craft, who started last Saturday on a fifty mile bicycle trip, was found today frozen stiff.

condemned yesterday will be carried out to sea and thrown overboard.

### THE IOWA AT SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, Feb. 7 -The battle-

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#### BID FOR A RAILROAD.

Chicago, Feb. 7.-The Tribune says The eastern syndicate that offers to pay was Very Weak and Miser. 1175 a share for the common and \$200 a share for the preferred stock of the Chicago and Alton railroad, is reported to be made up of John D. Rockefeller George Gould, Jacob Schiff, and E. H. Harriman Mr Gould represents the Missouri Pacific: Mr. Schiff, through Speyer & Co., represents the Baltimore and Ohio; Mr Rockefeller stands for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, and Mr. Hairiman for the Union Pacific The money for the purchase, it is said, has been deposited with the United States Trast company of New York, and the Mrs. Emma C. McAllister, of Calais, bid will be ofen for acceptance until

#### FREEZING AND STARVING.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 7-The negroes whose importation from Alabama my heart. My body would be cold and caused the battle at Virden, Iil., a few my limbs numb, when I had to be rubbed months ago, in which several namers were killed, are freezing and starving in a graders' camp on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, near Cahokia. Their condition is so desperate that at a meeting of the Ct. Clair county board of supervisors, C. W. Droit of Cabokia asked that relief us extended by the county Unaccustomed as they are to cold weather, and very thinly clad, their condition is said to be pitiable.

#### NEW STEAMER ORDERED

Philadelphia, Feb. 7.-The Plant line has awarded a contract to the Cramp Phipbuilding company for a new steamship, which is to have more extensive passenger accommodations than any vessel ever built in the United States, excepting the two big American liners, the St. Paul and St. Louis. The new steamship will have two propellers and a guaranteed speed of 18 knots. She will be 400 feet long and 50 feet beam. Work on her will be started at once.

#### ANOTHER FILIPINO SKIPS.

Washington, Feb. 7.-Another member of the Filipino junta here, supposed to be Juan Luna, took flight today, leaving on the 11 o'clock train over the Pennsylvania railroad for New York This leaves Lopez and his sick associate, Losada, the only Philippine representa-

#### ATTALES IN BOLIVA

Lima, Feru, Feb. 7.-Advices from Bolivia confirm the report of the retreat of President Alonso and his army to Oruro. a town of Bolivia, 100 miles northwest of Suoro. The Indians, it is added, are rising everywhere and are murdering and plundering There are also rumors of complications between Bolivia and Chili. RALEIGH AT PORT SAID.

Port Said, Feb. 7.-The United States cruiser Raleigh, which sailed from Manila on Dec. 15 for New York, via Suez, has arrived here.

#### California's Points of Interest

A special "Mardi-Gras Tour" to Cali fornia under the Personally Conducted Tourist System of the Pennsylvania Railroad will leave on February 8 1899. The entire trip will be by special train of Pullman vestibule sleeping, dining, compartment, and observation cars. The cars to be used were on exhibition at the World's Fair, Atlanta, Nashville, and and Omah Expositions, and will be quality all that could be desired. placed in service for the first time. Among the principal points of interest visited will be Mammoth Cave, New Or J. H. GARDIER, 10 & 12 Paniel 1 leans, San Antonio, El Paso, Los Angeles, San Diego, Riverside, Redlands, Pasadena, Santa Barbara, Monterey. Santa Crnz, San Jose, San Francisco. Salt Lake City, Glenwood and Colorado Springs, Maniton and the Garden of the Gods, Denver and Chicago. Rate, including all necessary expenses during the thirty-seven days absent, \$405 from Boston, Itinerary of D N Bell, Tourist Agent. 205 Washington street, Boston.

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#### MYSTERY OF CLOOMBER

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me into a sort of half confidence, and even by asking my assistance, so I felt that I stood upon a different footing with him than I had done formerly, and that he was less likely to be annoyed by my presence. Indeed, I met him pacing around the inclosure a few days afterward, and his manner toward me was civil, though he made no allusion to our former conversation. He appeared to be still in an extreme state of nervousness, starting from time to time, and gazing furtively about him. I hoped that his daughter was right in naming the 5th of October as the turning-point of his complaint, for it was evident to me, as I looked at his gleaming eyes and quivering hands. that a man could not live long in such a state of nervous tension. I found on examination that he had

had the loose rails securely fastened so as to block up our former trystingplace, and though I prowled round the whole long line of fencing, I was unable to find any other place where an entrance could be effected. Here and there between chinks of the barrier I could catch glimpses of the Hall, and once I saw a rough-looking, middleaged man standing at a window at the lower floor, whom I supposed to be Israel Stakes, the coachman. There was no sign, however, of Gabriel or of Mordaunt, and their alsence alarmed it, among the trees?" me. I was convinced that, unless they my sister or myself. My fears became more and more acute as day followed a man to stand any nonsense."

day without our seeing or hearing any-

thing of them

One morning—it was the second day of October-I was walking toward the enough to learn some news of my darling, when I observed a man perched upon a stone at the side of the road. As I came nearer to him I could see that he was a stranger, and from his dusty clothes and dilapidated appearance he seemed to have come from a distance. He had a great hunch of bread on his knee and a clasp knife in his hand, but he had apparently just finished his breakfast, for he brushed the crumbs off his lap and rose to his feet when he perceived me. Noticing the great height of the fellow, and that he still held his weapon, I kept well to the other side of the road, for I knew and that the chain that glittered on my waistcoat might be too great a temptation to him upon this lonely highway. I was confirmed in my fears when I saw him step out into the center of the road and bar my progress.

"Well, my lad," I said, affecting an ease which I by no means felt, "what can I do for you this morning?" The fellow's face was the color of mahogany | you?" with exposure to the weather, and he nad a deep scar from the corner of his mouth to his ear, which by no means improved his appearance. His hair was grizzled, but his figure was stalone side so as to give him a rakish, semi-military appearance. Altogether, he gave me the impression of being one of the most dangerous types of tramp that I had ever fallen in with.

Instead of replying to my question he eyed me for some time in silence with sullen, yellow-shot eyes, and then closed his knife with a loud snick. "You're not a beak," he said; "too young for that, I guess. They had me in chokey at Paisley and they had me in chokey at Wigtown, but by the living thunder if another of them lays a hand on me I'll make him remember Corporal Rufus Smith! It's a darned any other place as happened to be vafine country this, where they won't give a man work, and then lay him by the heels for having no visible means of subsistence."

"I am sorry to see an old soldier so serve in?"

"H Battery, Royal Horse Artillery. age with a beggarly pension of thirtyeight pound ten-not enough to keep me in beer and baccv."

"I should have thought thirty-eight pound ten a year would have been a remarked.

a foot of my own, "How much d'ye dice? What's that worth, eh? And a seem to me to be fair." liver like a sponge, and ague whenever the wind comes round to the east-

pound a year-would you now?" 'We are poor folk in this part of the country," I answered, "You would pass

for a rich man down here." "They are simple folk and they have simple tastes," said he, drawing a black pipe from his pocket and stuffing it what d'ye mean?" he stammered. with tobacco. "I know what good living is, and while I have a shilling in and I knew a man there called Ghoomy pocket I like to spend it as a shil- lab Shah." ling should be spent. I've fought for darned little for me. I'll go to the overspread the face of the speaker. Rooshlans, so help me! I could show them how to cross the Himalayas so worth in St. Petersburg, I wonder!"

"I'm ashamed to hear an old soldier speak so, even in jest," said I, sternly. "Jest, indecat" he cried, with a great | know Ghoolab Shah?" oath. "I'd have done it years ago, if it up. Shobeless was the best of the ferty years ago." bunch, but he's been snuffed out. However, that's neither here nor thore. What I mant to talk you is reached and as he gazed I saw the light of you've ever weard anything the arts

quarter of a man called Heatherstone, recognition spring up in his eyes. "God the same who used to be colonel of the ! bless my soul!" he cried. "Why, it's 41st Bengalees? They told me at Wig- 'Corporal Rufus Smith."

strides, while he worked so hard and as by no means an unmixed blessing. ing after his hulking figure until the have you been all these long years?" thought suddenly struck me that some avenue gate, where he stood grasping the price of a dram, and partly in order the iron-work and peering through at to look for you." the dark carriage-drive beyond.

round at me and nodding his head in said, lookin; "or d at me, for I was the direction of the Hall. "He's a deen | beginning to a way. "Don't leave old dog. And that's his bungalow, is us. You were something of this mat-

"That is his house," I answered; "but | tirely in the swim with us some of were under some restraint, they would 'I should advise you to keep a more have managed to communicate with civil tongue in your head if you intend to speak with the general. He is not

"Right you are. He was always a hard nut to crack. But isn't this him coming down the avenue?"

I looked through the gate and saw Hall, hoping that I might be fortunate; that it was indeed the general, who having either seen us or been attracted by our voices, was hurrying down toward us. As he advanced he would stop from time to time and peer at us through the dark shadow thrown by the trees, as if he were irresolute whether to come on or no.

"He's reconnoitering!" whispered my companion with a hoarse chuckle. "He's afraid—and I know what he's afraid of. He won't be caught in a trap if he can help it, the old un!" Then suddenly standing on his tiptoes and waving his hand through the bars of the gate, he shouted at the top of his voice, "Come on, my gallant commanthat destitution makes men desperate dant! Come on! The coast's clear, and no enemy in sight."

> This familiar address had the effect of reassuring the general, for he came right for us, though I could tell by his heightened color that his temper was at boiling point. "What, you here, Mr. West?" he said, as his eye fell upon with the palm forward in a military me., "What is it you want, and why have you brought this fellow with

"I have not brought him with me, gusted at being made responsible for the presence of the disreputable-looking vagabond beside me. "I found him wart, and his fur cap was cocked on on the road here, and he desired to be directed to you, so I showed him the

way. I know nothing of him myself." "What do you want with me, then?" the general asked sternly, turning to my companion.

"If you please, sir," said the excorporal, speaking in a whining voice, and touching his moleskin cap with a humility which contrasted strangely with the previous rough independence of his bearing, "I'm an old gunner in the queen's service, sir, and knowing your name by hearing it in India I thought that maybe you would take me as your groom or gardener, or give me

"I am sorry that I cannot do anything for you, my man," the old soldier answered impassively. "Then you'll give me a little just to

cant."

reduced," said I. "What corps did you help me on my way, sir," said the cringing mendicant. "You won't see an old comrade go to the bad for the Bad cess to the service and every one sake of a few rupees. I was with in it! Here I am nigh sixty years of | Sale's brigade in the Passes, sir, and I was at the second taking of Cabul."

General Heatherstone looked keenly at the supplicant, but was silent to his

"I was in Ghuznee with you when nice help to you in your old age," I the walls were all shook down by an earthquake, and when we found forty "Would you, though?" he answered thousand Afghans within gunshot of with a sneer, pushing his weather- us. You ask me about it, and you'll beaten face forward until it was within | see whether I'm lying or not. We went through all this when we were think that slash with a tulwar is young, and now that we are old you worth? And my foot with all the are to live in a fine bungalow, and I am bones rattling about like a bagful of to starve by the roadside. It don't

"You are an impertinent scoundrel." said the general. "If you had been a what's the market value of that? good soldier you would never need would you take the lot for a dirty forty | to ask for help. I shall not give you a

farthing." "One word more, sir," cried the tramp, for the other was turning away; Tve been in the Terada Pass."

The old soldier sprang round as if the words had been a pistol-shot. "What-

"I've been in the Terada Pass, sir,

These last words were hissed out in my country and my country has done an undertone, and a malicious grin

Their effect upon the general was extraordinary. He fairly staggered back that it would puzzle either Afghans or from the gateway, and his yellow coun-British to stop 'em. What's that secret tenance blanched to a lived motified gray. For a moment he was too overcome to speak. At last he gasped out. "Ghoolab Shah! -- who are you who

"Take another look," said the tramp: the Rooshians had been game to take | "your sight is not as keen as it was

> The general took a long, carnest look at the unkempt wanderer in front of

town that he lived somewhere down | "You've come on it at last," said the other, chuckling to himself. "I was "He lives in that large house over wondering how long it would be before there," said I, pointing to Cloomber you knew me. And first of all just un-Tower. "You'll find the avenue gate lock this gate, will you? It's hard to a little way down the road, but the talk through a grating. It's too much general isn't over fond of visitors." like ten minutes with a visitor in the The last part of my speech was lost cells."

upon Corporal Rufus Smith; for the The general, whose face still bore instant that I pointed out the gate he evidences of his agitation, undid the set off hopping down the road. His bolts with nervous, tremuling fingers. mode of progression was the most The recognition of Corporal Rufus singular which I have ever seen, for Smith had, I fanced, teen a relief to he would only put his right foot to the him, and yet he plainly showed by his ! ground once in every half-dozen manner that he regarded his presence more interesting, if less intelligible,

attained such a momentum with the "Why, corporal," he said, as the gate other limb that he got over the ground swung open, "I have often wondered at an astonishing speed. I was so sur- whether you were dead or alive, but I prised that I stood in the roadway gaz- never expected to see you again. How

"How have I been?" the corporal anserious result might come from the swered gruffly. "Why I have been meeting between a man of such blunt | drunk for the most part. When I draw speech and the choleric hot-headed my money I lay it out in liquor, and as general. I therefore followed him as long as that lasts I get some peace in he hopped along like some great life. When I'm cleaned out I go upon clumsy bird, and overtook him at the tramp, partly in the hope of picking up

"You'll excuse us talking about these "He's a sly old fox," he said, looking private matters. West," the general ter alreads and may find yourself en-

> these days." Corporal Rufus Smith looked round at me in blank astonishment. "In the swim with us!" he said. "However

> did he get there?" "Voluntarily, voluntarily," the general explained, hurriedly sinking his voice. "He is a neighbor of mine, and he has volunteered his help in case I should ever need it."

he is thinking constantly on the This explanation seemed, if anything, to increase the big stranger's surprise. "Well, if that don't lick cock-fighting!" he exclaimed, contemof the body. So very characteristic plating me with admiration. "I never heard tell of such a thing."

"And now that you have found me, Corporal Smith," said the tenant of Cloomber, "what is it that you want of

"Why, everything: I want a roof to cover me, and clothes to wear, and food to eat, and above all brandy to drink."

"Well, I'll take you in and do what I can for you," said the general slowly. "But look here, Smith, we must have discipline. I'm the general and you are the corporal: I am the master and you are the man. Now, don't let me have to remind you of that again."

The tramp drew himself up to his full height and raised his right hand

"I can take you on as gardener and | handed sportsman; neither could the get rid of the fellow I have got. As to walk of the dignified high church brandy, you shall have an allowance clergyman resemble that of the bustand no more. We are not deep drink ers at the Hall."

 "Don't you take opium, or brandy, or nothing yourself, sir?" asked Corporal Rufus Smith.

"Nothing," the general said, firmly. "Well, all I can say is, that you've got more nerve and pluck than I shall ever have. I don't wonder now at your winning that cross in the mutiny. If I was to go on listening night after night to them things without ever taking a drop of something to cheer my heart-why, it would about drive me

General Heatherstone put his hand up, as if afraid that his companion might say too much. "I must thank you, Mr. West," he said, "for having shown this man my door. I would not willingly allow an old comrade, however humble, to go to the bad, and if I did not acknowledge his claim more readily it was simply because I had my doubts as to whether he was really what he represented himself. Just walk up to the Hall, corporal, and I shall

follow you in a minute." "Poor devil!" he continued, as he watched the newcomer hobbling up the avenue in the ungainly manner which I have described. "He got a 64-pound shot on his foot, and it crushed the bones, but the obstinate fool would not let the doctors take it off. I remember him now as a smart young soldier in Afghanistan. He and I were associated in some outer adventures, which I may tell you of some day, and I naturally feel sympathy toward him, and would befriend him. Did he tell you anything about me before I came?"

"Not a word," I replied. "Oh," said the general, carelessly, but with an evident expression of relief. "I thought perhaps he might have said something of old times. Well, I must go and look after him, or the servants will be frightened, for he isn't a beauty to look at. Good-by!" With a wave of the hand the old man turned away from me and hurried up the drive after this unexpected addition to his household, while I strolled on round the high black paling, peering through every chink between the planks, but without seeing a trace cither of Mordaunt or of

I have now brought this statement down to the coming of Corporal Rufus Smith, which will prove to be the beginning of the end. I have set down soberly and in order the events which brought us to Wigtownshire, the arrival of the Heatherstones at Cloomber. the many strange incidents which excited first our curosity and finally our intense interest in that family, and I have briefly touched upon the circumstances which brought my sister and myself into a closer and more personal relationship with them. I think that there cannot be a better moment than this to hand the narrative over to those who had means of knowing something ROMANCE IN ALASKA.

t from without. The evidence of the

two individuals whose statements I

shall now lay before the reader, does

not, it is true, amount to very much,

but there are a few notable facts con-

ained in it, and it corroborates and

amphifies my own experience. Israel

Stakes, the coachman, proved to be un-

able to read or write, but Mr. Mathew

Clark, the Presbyterian minister at

Stoneykirk, has copied down his depo-

sition, duly attested by the cross set

Spposite his name. The good clergy-

man, has, I fancy, put some slight nol-

sh upon the narrator's story, which I

rather regret, as it might have been

when reported verbatim. It still pre-

serves, however, considerable traces of

israel's individuality, and may be re-

garded as the exact record of what he

saw and did while in General Heather-

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MANY WAYS OF WALKING.

A Person's Character Mainly Shown By

The Style of Walking.

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true characteristics are always pre-

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still we know that forgeries sufficient-

ly clever to bewilder handwriting ex-

perts have been perpetrated, and it is

"knack" and peculiar talent, a most

characteristic signature can be so imi-

tated as to defy anything more than

a grave suspicion of the committal of

Walking, however, comes under an-

other category. No man can imitate

another's walk for more than two or

three steps without making it obvious

to any but the densest observer that

he is acting-or walking-a part; that

length of his stride, of the way the

foot should reach and leave the

ground, of the speed and of the swing

is walking that even the least obser-

vant requires only to hear three or

four footfalls in a passageway, etc..

without seeing the walker, to be abso-

lutely assured of his individuality, if,

of course, the walker is familiar to the

And how does character show itself

in walking I should be inclined to

say, "In every way." For instance,

could one imagine a busy, alert crim-

inal lawver folling along with a

heavy, laborious stride, or could one

imagine a lethargic, unambitious rou-

tine life living farm laborer, pass

along a street with a springy, alert,

The cautious, suspicious man could

not possibly walk in the same manner

as the hall fellow well met, open

ling all there grocer bent on making

The cowardly cannot walk as do

the fearless, the restless not as the

seems to me that the police have often

something stronger to go on when

they find a prisoner's bootmark tal-

lies with the impress of the foot of the

known criminal, for if placed under

observation when at exercise he will

demonstrate to those watching him

the weights he puts on different parts

of the foot where the Impress would

Chinese Shoes,

seen upon the feet of the Chinamen

in this city are all imported from

China, most of them from Canton,

white edge is of a thick, rigid sole,

made of a material resembling plas-

shoes have the wide white edge of this

sole finished with a glazed or polished

The bottom soles of these shoes are

iom of the sole a sort of quilted ef-

fect. This work is neatly and trimly

lone, even on the cheap shoes. There

are some Chinese shoes without the

characteristic thick white-edged soles,

and provided with soles of leather

The top of the Chinese shoe is of

cloth or silk or satin and the lining of

the same material. Velvet is often

used on the top, cut in patterns that

are laid over the body of the shoe,

which may be of silk or satin in some

bright color, while the velvet may be

of black, producing picturesque and

striking effects. Costly shoes are

made of tipe materials and are often

richly embroidered. Chinese shoes of

the regular style, with the thick,

white-edged sole and the leather bot-

com sole and cloth top, may be bought

for as little as \$1 a pair. Handsome

England's Sunday Laws.

clination to enforce the Sunday laws

on the statute book. A person named

Williams brought suit against the

Times for advertising a Sunday con-

cert contrary to the act of 1781. In

ground that he had no religious bellef

and stated that he objected to the law

himself. The Judge squirmed out of

the difficulty by ruling that the star-

court he declined to take oath on the

bing it with a damp cloth.

only.

The thick-soled, white-edged shoes

active and nervous tread?

himself a millionaire.

be greater and so on.

stone's service.

a forgery.

ing Frostbites. One of the prettiest romances that has come from Alaska reached a happy ending in the announcement of the

This Young Doctor Won His Bride by Treat-

wedding of Dr. Clarence Dickinson and Miss Josephine Block, A little over two years ago Dr. Dick-

Machine.

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lie

YOST

mson, a young graduate of the Cooper Medical Institute, was sent to Kodiak as physician for the Alaska Fur Company. Miss Josephine Block, a beautiful brunette, in her seventeenth year, was the acknowledged belle of Kodiak. and the young doctor soon succumbed to her attractions.

Two years ago Dr. Dickinson, from being an obscure young graduate of the Cooper Medical college, suddenly sprang into fame. The schooner White was shipwrecked and the wretched survivors tramped through miles of ice and snow before they could reach a settlement.

Finally some of the survivors reached an Indian village, and a party of Alaskans, under the guidance of a Russian priest, started out to carry relief to the helpless stragglers. Later on the survivors were taken to Wood Island, where they were placed under

the care of Dr. Dickinson. The young doctor was totally unprepared for the advent of seventeen men, many of them horribly frostbitten, with limbs that needed instant amputation. He had not the necessary instruments, neither had he assistants to help in the surgical operations. Without an instant's delay, also certain that, granted a certain however, he set to work to improvise instruments from knives and other weapons that were at hand and took off arms, legs, fingers and toes with a skill and tenderness that won him the gratitude and admiration of his unexpected patients.

The way in which her admirer rose to the emergency in the White disaster was not lost upon Miss Josephine Block. Dr. Dickinson soon became the favored suitor, and, although the young lady was sent to school at the Sacred Heart convent, in Oakland, Cal. intimate friends of the family knew that the two young people were engaged. Dr. Dickinson came to visit his family in California. A day or two ago Miss Block left her convent and went to the residence of Dr. Dickinson's father at Stockton, and the wedding took place very quietly.

Evaporated Onlons for Klondike. A number of persons in Portland, Oregon, have been experimenting in the matter of preparing evaporated vegetables, with a view of supplying Alaskan miners. The most desired thing of the kind is evaporated onions, and some trouble has been experienced in preparing these in a satisfactory manner. It has been found that not every kind of onion can be evaporated satisfactorily. Only the very best quality of onions will answer the purpose. An onion-grower who has been experimenting with various kinds of onions has at last found one kind which fills the bill perfectly. A large tin case full of the evaporated onions prepared by him was exhibited by a Third street dealer and though hey looked much like shavings, they smelled and tasted like onions, and made one's eyes water to look at them. The man who has found out the best kind of onion for evaporating does phlegmatic. And for this reason it not give out what variety it is, as he intends to use all of the kind he can get hold of. There will be plenty of evaporated fruits and vegetables to supply all bound for Klondike next spring. The onions spoken of cost about 50 cents a pound, and a sack of onions, it is said, only makes three pounds.

Hunt Alligators for a Living. "There are men in the swamps of the south who make their living by hunting alligators," said a man who has just returned from that region. "Their mode of hunting the Saurians is very ingenious, as well as successful. In the summer, when the swamps dry out, the alligators which abound where they are made by hand. The there in large numbers, live in holes ten or more feet deep and inclined or slanting. The weapon of warfare used ter, and if it becomes dirty can be upon these creatures is a long pole, cleaned and whitened again. Some at the end of which is a sharp steel prod and hook. This is run down into the hole and the alligator is prodsurface, which can be cleaned by rubded until he becomes mad, then he snaps the hook like a fish and is immediately caught. He is then drawn up to the mouth of the hole and is made of a number of layers of rather shot through the eye until dead. The thin leather placed one upon another. teeth are extracted and the hide cut making a built-up sole. This sole is off. Both are sold at some near' by stitched through and through in many place. Some parts of the alligator are places on regular lines, giving the botcaten, if it be young."

> The Queen's Cigars. It is well known that Queen Victoria has a great dislike of smoke, so much so that she does not allow smoking in her immediate neighborhood. And yet the cigar bill for her guests is a very heavy one. The principle item is the thousand of the finest Havana cigars which are specially made for her and sent to Windsor in glas stubes hermetically sealed. It is said that the Queen's cigars could not be had even in Cuba at wholesale prices under five shillings apiece. The men who make them receive thirty cents for each cigar, and none but the oldest and most skilled workmen are entrusted with their manufacture. At this rate they can earn a small fortune, for 300 cigars a day can be turned out by the most experi cigar makers,

Chinese shoes may be bought for \$2 The right hand of Verestchagin, the and upward a pair. Chinese shoes Russian painter, is, in spite of the wonders he has accomplished, a lame worn by persons of rank may be much one. His thumb was so hadly bitten more expensive, costing for shoes worn by a leopard some years ago that it with court dress from \$20 to \$50 and had to be amputated. On the field of battle the middle finger of his right hand was made useless by a shot. By a fall on the Steppes, later, the centre English judges are showing a disin-

A Great Painter's Lame Hand.

bones of the same hand were shattered. Nevertheless, Verestchagin is one of the foremost painters in Russia. and makes as dexterous use of his right hand, lame as it is, as any man in Europe.

Secretary Linden, of the Zoological

station at Naples, Italy, has invented a boat with steer fans, which is proof what was going on inaldactionmeer and addition with the concert was free. In the motion of the sea introduction was observing although the seats had to be paid for. Water. It goes box in fough writher Miss-had-not been violated, ingemuch

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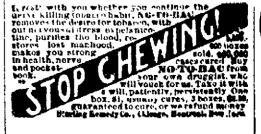
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GRANDFATHER'S VALENTINE.

Neath a roof List na- heat aid o'd. Was any ear little transact brown have an that was covered with coloud said in a t was and out, double has discourded, If your sate white and Bogs gor. And for years it had been in the atthe-Hid in this darkened corner, forgot. There were none of the clildren but Dura,

Who valued old relice, disused, She found it, and brushed the rough haircloth as if 'twas a pet, much abled. and, lifting the half unlanged cover-Peered within it, with cheeks all agrow. Her fancy saw satms and laces and ribbons worn long years 239.

But instead of those sat as and lices Was a valentine, yellow and old; with a wreath that was gorgeous with roics and cupids, with wings fringed with gold. Though the reses had faded, yet Dora Read ner grandfather's name on the page And the rousense he once penned to grandon On the sheet that was yellow with age.

Then Dora's eyes sparkled with mi-chief, she exclaimed "It is my turn to tease, Ahr they have no thought of the nonscuse flid in this little trunk 'neath the eaves, But St. Valentine's day they shall see it, and again her eyes spank'ed with fun, Perhaps when they think of their follies 'ney'll have patience with mine just begun. '

-CLARA A. LYNN.

P. C. C.

The regular mouthly meeting of the Portsmouth Cycle club was held on Tuesday evening, with a large attend-

Five new members were voted in, and the regular routine business transacted The committee on the minstrel show

handed in their report on the first night's show, which netted the boys a little over a hundred dollars. A vote of thanks was extended to all those who contributed towards making

the show the grand success that it was The result of the second night's exhibition has not been figured up yet, but in spite of the bad night on which men, it was given the managers are confident of coming out on the right side of the complete hat of all the registered phy

### NO NEWS FROM WINFIELD

Up to late on Tuesday evening nothing further had been heard from Winfield Lee, the young lad who ran away from his home in this city, and his mother is very much worried about him. It is now known that he left in company with a chum of his named Stevens, as they were seen together in Hampton. The police think he will turn up just as soon as his money is

WANTS TO BUILD STONE DOCKS.

Chief Endicott of the bureau of vards and docks has asked Secretary congress to allow the construcplace of all the wooden docks author- hoese bill.

The committee on naval affairs are of keeper to fill a vacancy. the opinion that there will be no opposition to the immediate granting of au-

#### How she Feels Now

"For some years I was troubled with weak stomach and could not eat without distress. I also had catarrh in the head. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it! has done me great good. My stomach is now much better and my head has not felt so well for years." Mas A J GREE. 114, East North Yarmouth, Me.

Hoon's Pitts are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsapatilla, 25c.3

#### P. A. C.

Four games were played in the P. A. C pool tournament on Tuesday evening, resulting as follows. Vennard defeated Moynahan, 100 to 76; Parker defeated frated Cotton, 100 to 99.

tournament on Tuesday.

#### OBSEQUIES.

The funcial services over the remains of Mrs. Susan Love, were held from the Second Christian church in Kittery on Tuesday afternoon Rev J G Dutton, former pastor of the church, conducted the services in the presence of a large number of friends of the deceased In terment was in the Philbrick tomb by Funeral Director Nickerson of this

### NOT SO.

The statement that Amanda Remick vas allowed alimeny from her husband, is entirely incorrect, and turthermore. she released all her rights in the real estate owned by Mr. Remick. A Herald. mán was informed to this effect by Mr. Remick's counsel.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Bur lock Blood Bitters is the natural, never uled for this evening, has been post siling remedy for a lazy liver.

#### NAVIGATION BUREAU

Sending Out Circulars That Mean Much to Seamen.

The collector of customs has recented ones chaome nev department circu-, in town Tuesday. ars from the bureau of ravigation at Washington that mean a good deal to camen. Taey do not apply to field to

or whaling vessels or yaelte. The changes in the statutes brought about a these circulars will go into effect I ch 20 and sirer that date the circulars may be posted in galley and forecastic. Sections of the statues that are changed Beston on business are slees under the following heads. Scale of Provisions on Merchant Boston on Tuesday. Ships," "Offenses and Punishment of Seamen" "Advances and Allotments of Wages "

Under the latter head severel changes in Boston on bus noss. aill be noticed. Hereafter the limit will be one month's wages in advance on foreign voyages and no allotments will be allowed on coastwise trues. Poreign ressels, except when it conflicts and was in Boston Tuesday. with the treaty, are subject to the same; law that American vessels are in regard two weeks' buttle with the grip. to allotments and advances.

The most important changes will be his home by an attack of pneumonia. ia the menu which Jack will be able to discuss after Peb. 23. The following comparisons will give a good idea of what an improvement will be made in the sailer's food. The old bill of fare

One pound of bread daily, one and one half pounds of beef four times a grippe. week, one-eight pint of peas three times weekly, one eight ounce tea carly, one half once coffee daily, two ounces sugar this city. daily, three quarts of water daily.

#### N. H. REGISTER FOR '99.

The New Hampshire Register and Business Directory for 1899 has made its annual appearance. Last year over 5000 names were added to it, and the book this year is still further increased by 32 pages, so that it is now rehable. up to date and necessary for all New Hampshire business and professional

One of the new features this year is a sicians of New Hampshire. The present officers of the United States, state, city and town governments may be found here, together with almanac, classified business directory and lists of all the home on Tuesday evening.

For sale by local dealers, or sent postpaid on receipt of 25 cents, by W. J. Drow, Concord, N. H.

#### REGULAR MEETING.

The regular meeting of Piscataqua Association, No. 5, of stationary engineers was neld at 1ts hall on Market street on Tuesday evening.

Two new members were voted in. Past President Barton and Trustee Wardwell were chosen representatives covering from her recent illness. Long to secure the consent of to Concord on Thursday to appear be tion of stone or concrete docks in the house in advocacy of the proposed Sheppard, Court street, for a few days of beautiful opera glasses will be given

Edward W. Voudy was elected door-

#### ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Poitsmouth Medical society was held on Chestnut street.

for the ensuing year:

President, Wm. B. Lyons, M D; Secretary, Benj. Cheever, M D; Treasurer, A B Sherburne, M. D; Executive Committee, Dis. Paisons, Borry and Heffenger.

Drs. James H Dixon and George E Pender were admitted to membership.

#### ORDERED TO REPORT.

Walter Woods has received orders tiom Manager Fred Clarke of the Louisville on March 17th to prepare to go to Thomasville, (4a., for spring place No games were played in the whist read that Chicago will be in the first browderfts. division again this season. About the standing of Louisville he would prefer to awart for the close of the season before making any prediction.

#### AT THE DEPOT.

Station Agent F. P. Grant has a large force of men employed clearing the depot, switches, etc., of snow, and also i has another force on I and in case it be- g st Perstmouth, N. rl. comes necessary to put them at work,

All the trains were about on time up to ten o'clock The train from Boston, due here at

2 45 was only ten minutes late. The mountain train that airives here

at 8 10 was on time this morning. The Portland train arrived about a bath. twenty minutes late this forencon.

#### POSTPONED

The Cooper's ball which was sched-(1) ned until next I tiday evening.

#### PERSONALS.

M.s Samuel Kingsbury was in Boston on Tuesday.

B. I Johnson, the candy rouner, was

l'allace Hack ett was in Boston ou

pasiness Tuesday. L. E. Staples passed Tuerday in Bos-

tin on business. George Henlerson was in Some - this time

vor.L yesterday. Mr. Elvin Newton passed Tuesday in gar station.

Mrs John S Tilton was a visitor in years ago today. George H. Joy was a visitor in Sal-, lice so far this week

mon Palls on Tuesday. Mr. John S Young passed Tuesday tograph of a patrol wagon.

Whiliam Just of York Beach was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Elitor Lewis W Brewster of the Jour-

Mr J L O. Coleman is out after a Mr William Chandler is restricted to

J J McGrath has returned to his studies at St. Anselms College, Manches-Frank E Tucker is restricted to bis

home on Maplewood avenue with la Mrs. John P. Brason of Milford,

Mass., is the guest of her mother, in Ex-Governor Charles H. Sawyer of Dover, was a visitor here on Tuesday Concord for examination for admittance

afternoon. Mr and Mrs. Fred Sheridan of Boston have their first at home this Wed-

Manager Charles P Berry of the Portsmouth Shoe Co, was a visitor in Boston Tuecday.

conneil rooms. Mr. Robert Jackson of Kennebunk, Me, was a visitor here on Tuesday, calling on old friends.

Mr. Lemuel T. Davis is confined to his home at Christian Shore with a zechoicest stock and is the best ten cent vere attack of la grippe. Mr. Paul M. Harvey left on Tuesday

evening on a short visit to his former home in North Berwick. Mr. Alex Bilbruck, who has been passtate societies, with the names of their sing a few days in Boston, returned

> Capt Eben Peirce of New Bedford, Mass., was in this city on Tuesday, the guest of William E. Peirce. be a special meeting of St. John's lodge

Misses Catherine McDonough and Mary Morrissey and Mr. George Kirvan went to Boston this morning. Mess Alice Ford of Danbury, N. H.

is the guest of Ler cousin, Dr. F. S l'ebruary 14th and several from this city Towle and family, State street. The friends of Mrs. Lois J. Howell

will be pleased to learn that she is re-Miss Elizabeth Elwell of Newton. fore the committee on manufactures of Mass, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs.

John H Kirvan of the Pertsmouth as prizes for the mest original costumes Stone Stable - Fleet Street Shoe Company has moved from Chat- at the "Bellamy" dance next Tuesday ham street to the house on Islington evening street recently vacated by W. J Kelley. Grand Chancellor Chauncey B. Hoyt,

Universalist church in this city, is the lodge, Knights Lythias of that town fuesday evening at Dr. Parsons' office guest of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Hanscom, this evening. in town for a few days.

The following officers were elected. Dr. William O. Junkins left on Tues- John B. Holland slipped on the ice on day on his tup to the Hawanan islands, Richards avenue and fell against a stone going by the way of Montreal and the step in such a manner as to fracture a Canadian Facific to Seattle and thence couple of ribs. by steamer to Honolulu.

of Bright's disease. Dr. Tufts is well some days by illness. known in this city and has many friends

BOX 19.

An alarm of fire from Box 219 at 2.05 o'clock this afternoon was occasioned by a small blaze in the kitchen of the Frost. 100 to 65; Parker defeated, tice. Walter says that he was not cor- house occupied by Mrs. Daisy Blanch-Gentleman, 100 to 76; McDonough de- rectly reported in the interview pull and, No. 51 Water street. The lished in Tuesday's Herald regarding fire was extinguished before the arrival Conner defeated McDonough, 100 to the position Chicago will occupy in the of the apparatus, which had a hard league race this year. It should have time in pushing through the heavy

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Costly Imperial Train.

The German Emperor's imperial years to construct. There are alto- | years." . Cher twelve cars, including two nurery carriages. The reception saloon ontains several pieces of statuary, and ach of the sleeping cars is fitted with

#### Wedded at 94.

Burke Perkins, 94 years old, whose bildren number twenty-four and v hose grandchildren are uncounted. the other day wedded Mrs. Elizabeth

#### CITY BRIEFS.

If you call a man a lion He will always be your friend, But just high that he's a bear, and He will hate you to the end.

-Clere'and Leader Fi-ld's Minstrels this evening.

A disagreeable day to be out doors lic city show plows were out today. Guess we'll have quite a fall of snow

Business is brisk at the local passen-

Ru. kin, the poet, was born eighty Business has been brisk with the Po-

Marshal Entwistle has received a pho-

The cars for the electric road are to

te of the combination type. The freight traffic at the local rail road yard is unusually heavy.

ing will last for quite a time yet.

Reserved seats for the Bellamy dance go on sale this morning at Hoyt and

Wednesday of next week will be the anniversary of the blowing up of the Conductor Wesley Abbott has re-

sumed his run between Welfboro and this city. On March 15, law students will go to

The coming municipal election prom

ises to develop considerable life before

On Friday will be held the next ses sion of the board of registrars at the c ty

The Afternoon Whist club met on Tuesday with Miss Helen Pender of Merrimack street.

The "S. G" Londres is made of the

cigar in the market. Heavy snow sterms prevailed west of Newburyport on Tuesday and the snow

plow crew from this city worked all day. Have your shees repaired by John W Mott. 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a spec

of Free Masons for the initiation of can-The reception to Governor Powers of Maine takes place on the evening of

This Wednesday evening, there will

will attend. Station Agent Grant has a large force of men at work today keeping the tracks and switches in the freight yard

freed from snow. An elegant dress suit case and a pair

Chaplain Dickins of the U S S, left today for North Strafford, N. H., to Constellation, formerly pastor of the attend the annual ball of Strafford

While delivering orders on Tuesday,

Marshal Entwistle went to Lowell, Dr. Charles A. Tufts of Dover, mem- Mass, this morning having in custody ber of the state pharmacy board, is Alonzo Preston, the old veteran who has

The concert and supper that was to

be given at the South ward room tonight for the benefit of the People's church has been postponed until next Wedresday night, Feb 15th. The "Florist," a paper published in the interest of greenhouses, says that

for fine floral pieces made by a grocery department store in that city. At the regular meeting of the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department on Tuesday evening a certificate was grant ed Mr. Wilbur J. Harmon as a member of Kearsarge S. F. B. Co., No. 3, thus

endorsing the action of the company in

the florist business in Portsmouth is

unprofitable, owing to the low prices

Heard on the street: "Hello, Ethel, where in the world have you been keep ing yourself lately?" "Don't say a word, Rosic, I've been more than hust ling every evening for a week to get my costume ready for the 'Bellamy;' and say, its going to be a wonder, and you train cost \$530,000, and took three couldn't pick me out in a hundred

The Portsmouth correspondent of the Manchester Union says:-There is a very strong feeling that the city govern ment can, without injury to the city or Man's Black Lace, \$1 50 marked anywhere else, abolish the office of clerk of the water board and have the city Men's Black Lace, \$2 50 marked treasurer attend to the business of that office. It is stated that the city would Goings 76 years old, in the town of thus save \$1200. There are many candidutes for this office.

#### OBITUARY.

Jeremiah Hackett.

Jeremiah Hackett, for many years an verseer in the Cocheco milts, Dover, died on Tuesday at Berwick. He was living with his daughter, Mrs. George Hussey, and had reached his seventiath year. He leaves another daughter, Mrs. William Just, of York, Me. He was a member of the G. A. R and K. of P.

#### Dudley C. Littlefield.

Dudley C. Littlefield, a prominent and highly respected citizen of Stratham, died at his home in that town on Sunday of pneumonia, at the age of six ty five years. He is survived by a wife. three sons and one daughter.

#### WILLIE MOULTON AGAIN.

Willie Moulton, the Hempton runs way boy, was captured again Tuesday evening by Marshal Entwistle. He was Old residents prophesy that the sleighbegging for food up near the shoe shop at the time and says he has been in the Monday night, the Lady Foresters city ever since Saturday afternoon. He will entertain their friends at Cycle will probably be taken care of this

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